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MANNING DOHERTY U. F. O. LEADER

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MARMORA HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS MADOC

The return High School match between Madoc and Marmora was played on the ice of the latter on Thursday evening of last week.

The game was keenly contested throughout the whole match and comparatively free from roughness and ended in favor of Marmora by a score of 6-3.

Someone has said that nothing is more uncertain than a horse race, but it looks as though hockey might be classed among the best of uncertain contests. A short time ago some teams played on the Madoc rink when Madoc won by a score of 3-0. Such a reversal of form in such a short time seems hard to explain but there were some peculiarities in connection with this game that might possibly have some bearing on the result. Mr. Shannon, the referee, faced the puck twice in front of Madoc's goal with no Madoc player in the face-off and a third time on another part of the ice. From one of these faceoffs Marmora scored a goal which was allowed. As Mr. Shannon is a member of the senior team and thoroughly understands the game we presume these rules are in accordance with the latest interpretation of the O.H.A. rules. Another apparently peculiar interpretation of the rules was that Madoc players were penalized by being sent to the fence while the Marmora players, for what the Madoc players in their innocence believed to be infractions of the rules of hockey were never once throughout the whole game penalized by being sent to the fence, with possibly one exception. Marmora also selected a goal umpire whose right arm was paralized, or at least partially so, and who failed, due to his infirmity of raising his right arm twice, when Madoc scored until urgently requested to so by Madoc players, then with the sympathy for the afflicted goal umpire Madoc asked him to be removed to receive medical assistance which Mr. Shannon, the referee, very kindly consented to do. These are only a few of the peculiarities of the game. Let it suffice that.

A Presentation And Address

Several Presentations Made to Mr. Hall on His Leaving Madoc for Merrickville.

On January 30th, the Boy Scouts presented Mr. Hall with a fountain pen, the address being read by Mr. J. Burns and the presentation being made by Colin Dafoe. Mr. Hall who has been an ardent worker in Boy Scout work, has been Scout Master for the past few years. Needless to say his untiring efforts in this worthy cause in training and developing characters of the boys, of the town, who will be the men of tomorrow, directing the affairs of our village and country, has been greatly appreciated by the people of Madoc, as well as the scouts.

At the annual meeting of the Public Library, which was held in the Library rooms on Jan. 23rd a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Hall the retiring president, for his faithful services, the Board expressing their regret that he was leaving Madoc.

At the Annual meeting of the Madoc Athletic Association held on January 24th a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Hall for his faithful services, the members expressing their regret that he was leaving Madoc. Mr. Hall has been vice-president of the Association for the past year and has taken a keen interest in the work for several years. His presence in Athletic activities has been an important factor in promoting clean sport.

On Monday evening January 28th a number of the neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jewell and presented Mr. and Mrs. Hall with a purse, the address being read by Dr. W. A. Dafoe and the presentation made by Mr. John McKenzie. During their stay in Madoc they have endeared themselves to all and will be greatly missed.

Mr. Hall replied to the address expressing for Mrs. Hall and himself their appreciation of the gifts and of the kindly relations that have existed during their stay in Madoc.

On Wednesday evening Jan. 30th, the Citizens Band, Athletic Association and citizens presented Mr. Hall with a purse, the presentation being made by Mr. F. Smith leader of the Band. Several citizens spoke expressing their appreciation of his faithful services in the Band and Athletic Association and their regret that he was leaving Madoc. Mr. Hall made a very suitable reply expressing his appreciation of the gifts.

Mr. Hall was also presented with a cheque and address by the Queensboro congregation, who deeply expressed their regret that he was leaving and wishing Mr. Hall and his family God speed.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION HOLD DANCE

At the Masonic Hall last Friday evening a very jolly dance was held under the direction of the Madoc Athletic Association. Plants and flags loaned for the occasion together with colored streamers prettily arranged, gave the hall a cosy and comfy appearance. Card playing and dancing constituted the amusements of the evening. Amongst those present were noticed Dr. and Mrs. Eagleson, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Aylesworth, Mrs. Edward Cross, Miss Foster, Miss Cowan, Mrs. and Miss Caldwell, Dr. Grant Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. S. Embury, Mr. Scrutton, Mr. and Miss Hart, Colonel Rierdon, Miss Bronson, Mrs. F. Nickle, Mr. and Mrs. G. Munro, Miss Birkett, Blair, Phillips, Wellington, Walker, Nickle Messrs. Stewart, Smith, MacLean, Moorcroft, Pigden, Watson, Blue, Jackson, Jarvis, Burt, Chas. Whytock, Mr. and Mrs. Gunter and others.

The entertainment committee on behalf of the Athletic Association wishes to extend their thanks to all who so nobly responded with assistance in making this event a success.

COMMUNICATION

The Editor,
North Hastings Review,
Madoc, Ont.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly allow me space to reply to the article in your last edition by Mr. J. H. Button, Superintendent of the Ontario Bridge Co. Limited.

I am very pleased to hear from Mr. Button, and more particularly to see that he has unbuttoned himself.

Before commencing my reply, I desire to ask all overburdened Hastings County taxpayers to keep these articles for future reading, to show how our taxes have been expended by our County Councillors.

It appears that the County Councillors or their officials do not wish to answer my articles in your paper, but evidently have sent clippings to Mr. Button, and expect him to act as defending attorney of Hastings County business, because he refers me to county officials for true statements and correct figures, being evidently in full communion with them.

Mr. Button seems to have become hot under the collar about it being suggested that the Ontario Bridge Company Limited is an American organization and not an Ontario business concern.

Now then, Mr. Taxpayer, read his explanation carefully, bearing in mind while doing so, that the names and addresses I gave are the names and addresses of the persons forming the Ontario Bridge Company Limited as shown on the letters of incorporation on file in the Provincial Offices, in Toronto. Explaining his explanation is unnecessary to intelligent Hastings County readers of your paper. And as he so flippantly remarks, he certainly should apologize for "wasting your space."

In order to drive home his self-satisfying explanation, he tells us that he believes his company has "built more highway structures in this Province than any other company in recent years."

When a company builds bridges it should have a plant or works to build them in, shouldn't they?

Now then Mr. Button, unbutton before you button up, and tell Hastings County taxpayers where your bridge building plant or works are located.

If you have no plant and works and when you secure a contract to build a bridge by your methods, do you buy that bridge from a real bridge company?

And further, if you have no bridge plant, does the Ontario Bridge Company Limited exactly and accurately describe your business?

In addition to the above there are a number of omissions in your letter, viz: you do not tell us who gave you the clippings. Who is this American whom you describe as living here and there? You do not condescend to tell us what figures are so incorrect and misleading. And I repeat, you say you build bridges, then tell us where you build them. And remember Mr. Button, that you have the floor, and Hastings County taxpayers have their eye on you and want a reply.

Hastings County Taxpayer.

SATURDAY MARKET AT BELLEVILLE

Butter Steadied up to Forty-five Cents and Eggs Were Firm at Fifty Cents.

Prices showed signs of greater firmness if anything on the market last Saturday. Butter steadied up to forty-five cents a pound and eggs held firm at fifty cents. Chickens are reasonable at $1.40 and upwards per pair.

Produce on the outer market remained stationary in price. Potatoes sold at $1.50 per bag, apples at $1 per bushel and upwards, hogs sold for $14.00 per cwt. dressed. Quotations on beef varied.

The offerings in hay were not so large as expected twelve dollars per ton being asked. Wood was present in good quantities at seven dollars and upward for a small load.

Sauerkraut brought a York shilling a quart.

Saskatchewan will have a liquor referendum at a date to be decided by the present session of the Provincial Assembly, the speech from the throne at the opening said

Madoc Wins From Marmora

Was One of the Best Matches of the Season—Poorly Patronized by Madoc Citizens

One of the best matches of the season was played Tuesday night between the Marmora junior and the Madoc junior teams. So close was the game that the teams had to play overtime to settle the question of superiority.

We were going to say that a large and wildly enthusiastic crowd of Madoc patrons cheered the boys on to victory, but the gate keeper informed us that the total receipts of the evenings entertainment were six dollars and fifty cents and that he counted it over twice for fear a odd cent should have escaped his count. To get Marmora here the boys had to put up ten dollars, now if the citizens of Madoc have no more sympathy in providing good clean, healthy outdoor sport for their sons, we would suggest that they cease the hypocrisy of sending Canadian money and Missionaries to proselytize the poor ignorant heathen of China and Japan.

As it was those, who were present had an opportunity of seeing a good fast, clean game of hockey, so close that it kept the spectators in a high state of expectancy throughout the whole match.

The first period ended with Marmora leading by a score 3-1, second period score stood 4.3 in favour of Marmora and the last period a tie 5-5. To break the tie, ten minutes overtime was played in which Madoc scored one half minute before the final bell rang.

Barney Quinn, of Havelock refereed the game with entire satisfaction to both teams and spectators.

On account of lack of patronage the management feel that unless the rink is better supported they will be compelled to close it for the season.

SCOTCH SETTLEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleming and family, of Crookston, were Sunday guests of Mr. W. Wickens.

Quite a number attended the Quarterly Service at Bethesda Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Holland spent Sunday with the latters parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Sine of Minto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Noyes, also Mr and Mrs. W. Wickens and family were entertained at Mr. R. S. Wood's Friday evening.

Miss Sadie Wickens spent Sunday night with Miss Ethel Fleming.

A large number attended revival meeting at Ivanhoe, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire were guests of Mr. P. Lancaster Sunday.

Miss Laura Ashe is confined with La Grippe.

There is not much traffic on the roads these days, owing to such stormy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, of Crookston called at Mr. P. Lancaster's Sunday evening.

The Misses Laura, Blanche, and Gladys Ashe, Dicey McEathron, Roy Lancaster and Austin Ray spent Thursday evening with Hazel McGuire.

A large number attended the funeral of the late Mr. H. Wood Sr., on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wickens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Shaw of Ivanhoe, Friday.

CENTRAL ONTARIO FAIR DATES FIXED

At the annual meeting of the Central Ontario Fall Fairs Association held at Belleville Tuesday afternoon of last week, Vice-President A. R. G. Smith of the Ontario Fall Fairs Association declared that the asociations had yet only begun to touch the fringe of the possibilities before it. He suggested that a handbook be prepared to acquaint Fair Boards with a standard prize list as in New Brunswick, where the plan is working out splendidly. This, he claimed, had the effect of standardization of products and stock shown at the fall shows. He also endorsed the school fair. President Angus Nicholson, of Madoc, occupied the chair.

Dates were arranged as follows for the fairs in Central Ontario:—Bancroft, September 24, 25; Belleville, September 10, 11, 12; Campbellford, September 25, 26; Castleton, September 16, 17; Colborne, September 23, 24; Frankford, September 18, 19; Madoc, September 20, October 1; Marmora, September 29, 30; Napanee, September 8, 9, 10, 11; Picton, September 16 to 20; Roblins Mills, October 4; Roseneath October 9, 10; Shannonville, September 27; Stirling, September 16, 17; Tweed, October 2, 3; Warkworth October 1, 2, 3; Wooler, October 4, 5.

Officers were elected as follows: President, B. R. Leavens, Bloomfield; 1st Vice-President, Clayton Tucker, Stirling; 2nd Vice President Fred Brintnell, Colborne; Secretary Treasurer, Dr. G. A. Hay, Campbellford; Auditors, William J. Hill, Madoc, and J. L. Boyce, Napanee; delegate to Ontario Association, B. R. Leavens.

Some discussion took place over the possibility of united action in the matter of raising the admission fee to fall fairs, but no action was taken. It was decided to hold the next annual meeting in Belleville on the third Tuesday in January next year.

THE LATE MRS. E. R. HUYCK

The passing of Mrs. E. R. Huyck, in the early morning of Jan. 22nd, has not only brought forth from our citizens expressions of regret and sympathy with the near relatives and friends, but also many appr[illegible]iative remarks of her useful [illegible] honorable life. Mrs. Huyck wa[illegible] ways considered as one of ou[illegible] prominent and useful citi[illegible] the ordinary walks of civ[illegible]ial life she moved wi[illegible] and true hearted inte[illegible] affairs she always [illegible] with earnestness. [illegible]lady directors o[illegible]cultural Societ[illegible] worker. Durl[illegible] Cross and [illegible]ored unti[illegible] one of the noble band of the "Soldiers' Mothers" who did all they could to provide the soldier comforts. The sick, poor and unfortunate have lost a sympathetic and helpful friend. The quiet unassuming way in which she did her ministrations was a token of the kindly, Christian life. She will be much missed by the workers of St. James Church. She was wonderfully regular in the attendance at the services being a leader and member of the choir. The Ladies' Guild has lost a good worker, in fact, her duty to the Church she would not sacrifice for anything else. The "care of the Church" was one of her chief interests, and her rector always found in her a faithful, consistent and true co-worker. At last the eventide has come. The Nunc Dimitis, which she so often sang in the Church's services, was reverently recited as she departed this life. May she be forever with the Lord "in the blessed company of the Redeemed," and enjoy the fulness of Everlasting Life.

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Nor jewels for my hair,
Nor sight of gabled, foreign towns
In distant countries fair,
But I can glimpse, beyond my pane,
a green and friendly hill,
And red geraniums aflame upon my
window-sill.

The brambled cares of every day,
The tiny, humdrum things,
May bind my feet when they would
stray,
But still my heart has wings,
While red geraniums are bloomed
against my window-glass,
And low above my green-sweet hill
the gypsy wind-clouds pass.

And if my dreaming ne'er come true,
The brightest and the best,
But leave me lone my journey
through,
I'll set my heart at rest,
And thank Thee, God, for home-sweet
things, a green and friendly hill,
And red geraniums aflame upon my
window-sill.

—Martha Haskell Clark.

FIFTEEN FOR DINNER.

My neighbor was amazed when I spoke of having fourteen or fifteen for dinner on Sundays. And she was almost speechless when I told her I enjoyed it. We live on a 200-acre farm and I could not imagine why I should not invite my friends out from [illegible] the day without horrifying my neighbors.

"How can you enjoy their company after getting the dinner, besides doing all your other work, and then have the great stack of dishes waiting for you after they leave?"

I laughed heartily. "I am not surprised you were horrified. My friends always like to enjoy my company, so they bring the dinner, or a goodly portion of it."

I told her the arrangement we entered into. They felt free to come when they knew they were not [illegible] with extra work. I entertaining, for it did not mean [illegible] work before or after. [illegible] bundant fresh vegetables. I always plan the [illegible] to bake an extra cake, [illegible] bake. We have [illegible] melons in great [illegible] up the meat, [illegible] cake or [illegible] they deem necessary, among [illegible], each bringing the assigned portion. In the summer I make ice cream on Sunday, as we keep ice always on hand in the big milk refrigerator.

Dishwashing is done as if by magic. Everybody helps clear the table and then takes a hand with the dishes. My share usually is putting the dishes away. The old saying that "many hands make light work" is surely true in this case, and we can visit at the same time. We are very fortunate in having large trees in the yard. During the summer months we set the table out under these. Sh! I'll tell you a secret. A long work bench and two small tables that are kept under the trees during the summer are placed together and used.

"But all those napkins and a big white tablecloth to be washed?" said my neighbor wearily.

Said I: "The big white tablecloth does not come out of the drawer except on state occasions, Thanksgiving, for instance. For Sunday dinners I use snow-white oilcloth, or if I wish to be particularly festive three or four colored crepe luncheon cloths and paper napkins, or occasionally crepe napkins to match the cloth." —Hope W. Ames.

MY PASTEBOARD CUSHION.

I saved a great many pieces of plain and corrugated pasteboard and one day cut them into uniform size, slightly smaller than the seats of my dining-room chairs.

When I had a pile about six inches high I bound them very tightly together with strips of strong cloth, and made a fancy cover out of some strong sateen with figures from cretonne sewed on the top. I keep this as an honor seat when a small child comes to visit me. It changes an ordinary chair into a high chair at meal-time, can easily be carried to the verandah, and is not too good to be played with, nor too heavy for the small guest to carry.

The many left-over bits of pasteboard I stored in an old sack and find them very useful in starting fires. —Sara K. Knowlton.

A PRACTICAL MODEL FOR SCHOOL WEAR.

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The Pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. A 12-year size requires 2 yards of plaid or check material, and 1⅞ yards of plain material. If one material is used 3⅞ yards 40 inches wide will be required.

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THIS SWEATER IS QUICKLY MADE.

One of the new silky, glossy wools will be most appropriate for making this attractive sweater blouse, which any woman will find desirable for wearing with a skirt of contrasting color. The sweater may be made in several tones, or it may be preferred to keep it only in one color. If a striped effect is desired make the body of the sweater in some neutral shade and use the colors, as many as you like, in the border.

We require two pairs of knitting needles for the work, one of steel, the other of light wood. The latter should be very large, for the sweater must be loosely done. If only one color is used from four to six balls of the wool will be required, according to the size of the blouse.

For a thirty-eight to forty bust measure set up 84 stitches on the steel needles, and knit 3, purl 3 until you have made four inches. Then change to the large needles and continue to knit 3, purl 3 until twenty-two inches have been made, including the border. Next take up the fine needles and work with them for 3 inches; this will form a yoke. Continue with the fine needles until directed to change.

Now bind off 30 stitches for the neck, leaving on the needles 54 stitches. Knit two inches on these stitches for the shoulders, and cast on 30 stitches for the front of the neck. Continue working as before, knit 3, purl 3 for three inches for the front of the yoke.

Change to the large needles and make the front exactly like the back; changing to the fine needles for the border, bind off loosely.

For the Sleeves.—Begin two and a half inches below the edge of the shoulder yoke in the back and with a crochet hook pick up every stitch at the side for the sleeve. At the fine knitting of the yoke pick up only every other stitch. Continue for two and a half inches below the shoulder yoke in the front, picking up the stitches on the right side. Allow 42 to 45 stitches on the sleeve. Purl 3, knit 3 on the large needles until the sleeve measures eighteen inches, then with the fine needles knit the cuff. Bind off loosely and sew up the side seams.

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CHAPTER XXXI.

THE MASK OF THE RED BANDANNA.

It had come by special delivery, an ill-written little note scrawled on cheap ruled paper torn from a tablet.

If you want to know who killed Cunningham i can tell you. Meet me at the Denmark Bilding, room 419, at eleven to-night. Come alone.

One who knows.

Kirby studied the invitation carefully. Was it genuine? Or was it a plant? He was no handwriting expert, but he had a feeling that it was a disguised script. There is an inimitable looseness of design in the chirography of an illiterate person. He did not find here the awkwardness of the inexpert; rather the elaborate imitation of an amateur ignoramus. Yet he was not sure. He could give no definite reason for this fancy.

And in the end he tossed it overboard. He would keep the appointment and see what came of it. Moreover, he would keep it alone—except for a friend handing under the table arm at his side. Kirby had brought no revolver with him to Denver. Occasionally he carried one on the range to frighten coyotes and to kill rattlers. But he knew where he could borrow one, and he proceeded to do so.

Not that there was any danger in meeting the unknown correspondent. Kirby did not admit that for a moment. There are people so constituted that they revel in the mysterious. They wrap their most common actions in hints of reserve and weighty silence. Perhaps this man was one of them. There was no danger whatever. Nobody had any reason to wish him serious ill. Yet Kirby took a .45 with him when he set out for the Denmark Building. He did it because that strange sixth sense of his had warned him to do so.

During the day he had examined the setting for the night's adventure. He had been to the Denmark Building and scanned it inside and out. He had gone up to the fourth floor and looked at the exterior of Room 419. The office door had printed on it this design:

THE GOLD HILL MILLING & MINING COMPANY

But when Kirby tried the door he found it locked.

The Denmark Building is a little out of the heart of the Denver business district. It was built far uptown at a time when real estate was booming. Adjoining it is the Rockford Building. The two dominate a neighborhood of squat two-story stores and roominghouses. In dull seasons the offices in the two big landmarks are not always filled with tenants.

The elevators in the Denmark had ceased running hours since. Kirby took the narrow stairs which wound round the elevator shaft. He trod the iron treads very slowly, very softly. He had no wish to advertise his presence. If there was to be any explosive surprise, he did not want to be at the receiving end of it.

He reached the second storey, crossed the landing, and began the next flight. The place was dark as a midnight pit. At the third floor its darkness was relieved slightly by a ray of light from a transom far down the corridor.

Kirby waited to listen. He heard no faintest sound to break the stillness. Again his foot found the lowest tread and he crept upward. In the daytime he had laughed at the caution which had led him to borrow a weapon from an acquaintance at the stockyards. But now every sense shouted danger. He would not go back, but each forward step was taken with infinite care.

And his care availed him nothing. A lifted foot struck an empty soap box with a clatter to wake the seven sleepers. Instantly he knew it had been put there for him to stumble over. A strong searchlight flooded the stairs and focussed on him. He caught a momentary glimpse of a featureless face standing out above the light—a face that was nothing but a red bandanna handkerchief with slits in it for eyes—and a pair of feet below at the top of the stairway.

The searchlight winked out. There was a flash of lightning and a crash of thunder. A second time the pocket flash found Kirby. It found him crouched low and reaching for the .45 under his arm. The booming of the revolver above reverberated down the pit of the stairway.

Arrow-swift, with the lithe ease of a wild thing from the forest, Kirby ducked round the corner for safety. He did not wait there, but took the stairs down three at a stride. Not till he had reached the ground floor did he stop to listen for the pursuit.

No sound of following footsteps came to him. By some miracle of good luck he had escaped the ambush. It was characteristic of him that he did not fly wildly into the night. His brain functioned normally, coolly. Whoever it was had led him into the trap had lost his chance. Kirby reasoned that the assassin's mind would be bent on making his own safe escape before the police arrived.

The cattleman waited, crouched behind an out-jutting pillar in the wall of the entrance. Every minute he expected to see a furtive figure sneak past him into the street. His hopes were disappointed. It was nearly midnight when two men, talking cheerfully of the last gusher in the Buckburnett field, emerged from the stairway and passed into the street. They were tenants who had stayed late to do some unfinished business.

There was a drug store in the building, cornering on two streets. Kirby stepped into it and asked a question of the clerk at the prescription desk.

"Is there more than one entrance to the Denmark Building?"

"No, sir." The clerk corrected himself. "Well, there's another way out. The Producers & Developers Shale and Oil Company have a suite of offices that run into the Rockford Building. They've built an alley to connect between the two buildings. It's on the fifth floor."

"Is it open? Could a man get out of the Denmark Building now by way of the Rockford entrance?"

"Easiest in the world. All he'd have to do would be to cross the alley bridge, go down the Rockford stairs, and walk into the street."

Kirby wasted no more time. He knew that the man who had tried to murder him had long since made good his getaway by means of the fifth-storey bridge between the buildings.

As he walked back to the hotel where he was stopping his eyes and ears were busy. He took no dark-alley chances, but headed for the bright lights of the main streets where he would be safe from any possibility of a second ambush.

His brain was as busy as his eyes. Who had planned this attempt on his life and so nearly carried it to success? Of one thing he was sure. The assassin who had flung the shots at him down the narrow stairway of the Denmark was the one who had murdered his uncle. The motive of the ambuscade was fear. Kirby was too hot on the trail that might send him to the gallows. The man had decided to play safe by following the old theory that dead men tell no tales.

CHAPTER XXXII.

JACK TAKES OFF HIS COAT.

Afterward, when Kirby Lane looked back upon the weeks spent in Denver trying to clear up the mysteries which surrounded the whole affair of his uncle's death, it seemed to him that he had been at times incredibly stupid. Nowhere did this accent itself so much as in that part of the tangle which related to Esther McLean.

From time to time Kirby saw Cole. He was in and out of town. Most of his time was spent running down faint trails which spun themselves out and became lost in the hills. The champion rough rider was indomitably resolute in his intention of finding her. There were times when Rose began to fear that her little sister was lost to her for always. But Sanborn never shared this feeling.

"You wait. I'll find her," he promised. "An' if I can lay my hands on the man that's done her a meanness, I'll certainly give them hospital sharks a job patchin' him up." His gentle eyes had frozen, and the cold, hard light in them was almost deadly.

Kirby could not get it out of his head that James was responsible for the disappearance of the girl. Yet he could not find a motive that would justify so much trouble on his cousin's part.

He was at a moving-picture house on Curtis Street with Rose when the explanation popped into his mind. They were watching an old-fashioned melodrama in which the villain's letter is laid at the door of the unfortunate hero.

Kirby leaned toward Rose in the darkness and whispered, "Let's go."

"Go where?" she wanted to know in surprise. They had seated themselves not five minutes before.

"I've got a hunch. Come."

She rose, and on the way to the aisle brushed past several irritated ladies. Not till they were standing on the sidewalk outside did he tell her what was on his mind.

"I want to see that note from my uncle you found in your sister's desk," he said.

She looked at him and laughed a little. "You certainly want what you want when you want it! Do your hunches often take you like that—right out of a perfectly good show you've paid your money to see?"

"We've made a mistake. It was secin' that fellow in the play that put me wise. Have you got the note with you?"

"No. It's at home. If you like we'll go and get it."

They walked up to the Pioneers' Monument and from there over to her boarding-place.

Kirby looked the little note over carefully. "What a chump I was not to look at this before," he said. "My uncle never wrote it."

"Never wrote it?"

"Not his writin' a-tall."

"Then whose is it?"

"I can make a darn good guess. Can you?"

She looked at him, eyes dilated, on the verge of a discovery. "You mean—?"

"Can that J. C. might stand for a [illegible] two other men we know."

"[illegible] cousin James?"

"[illegible] likely Jack."

"[illegible] and beat back to fugitive memories of Jack's embarrassment when Esther's name had been mentioned in connection with his uncle. Swiftly his brain began to piece the bits of evidence he had not understood the meaning of before.

"Jack's the man. You may depend on it. My uncle hadn't anything to do with it. We jumped at that conclusion too quick," he went on.

"You think that she's . . . with him?"

"No. She's likely out in the country or in some small town. He's havin' her looked after. Probably an attack of conscience. Even if he's selfish as the devil, he isn't heartless."

(To be continued.)

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Another method is to remove a few rivets along the side of the shoe and insert powdered graphite or chalk, or thin pieces of felt rubbed with chalk, and rivet up again. Three or four more small nails or pegs may be driven into the centre of the sole, but this reduces the flexibility of the shoes.

Medal for Pigeon.

The conferring of a war medal by the British government upon a homing pigeon not only is a pleasant bit of sentiment but calls new attention to the services that homing pigeons have rendered to mankind, in peace as well as in war. The incident recalls the interesting fact that homing pigeons were the foundation of two great fortunes. Before the days of the telegraph Baron Rothchild used great numbers of pigeons to bring the earliest information of the stock market and exchange in London to his Paris banking house; and Paul de Reuter, the founder of the great European news agency that corresponds to the Associated Press in America, used carrier pigeons as his first messengers.

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...st means to prevent poison... the exhaust fumes, which is ... petro mortis, is to provide ...entilation in the garage. ...ngine is started in a tight ... partly combusted gas and ...by products which arise dur... the operation of the engine is responsible for the poisoning. The greater number of cases of petro mortis have occurred during cold weather, when engines are hard to operate, and they are raced for a few minutes before the garage is opened. So far as can be learned the most serious part of this type of poisoning is that death is caused in a short time, and without warning, while attacks of ordinary poisoning are manifested by headache, and possibly nausea.

When an exit is made in the garage for the dangerous fumes, there is little danger from poisoning, but in a small air-tight garage the vapors soon contaminate the air and render it dangerous. One of the best rules in this case is to keep the doors of the garage wide open when the engine is going, and especially when it is first started in the morning.

STEEL SPRING COVERS.

Automobile manufacturers make springs from the finest steel obtainable—highly tempered, specially treated and exactingly finished to give flexibility and easy riding qualities. But the manufacturer cannot do it all—he cannot keep them new. He delivers the springs in perfect condition and there his responsibility ends. It is up to the individual car owner to keep these sensitive springs in their original condition and spring covers play an important part in this work.

Springs play a very vital part in car life and riding comfort but from their very position on the chassis are necessarily exposed to all the dirt, dust and mud of the roads, to say nothing of rain, snow and ice. Springs must be made of steel which is subject to rust, and rust brings rapid deterioration. From their un-get-at-able position, springs receive less attention than any other vital unit on the entire motor car. They are rarely, if ever, cleaned between the leaves. Hence it logically follows that uncared for springs, no matter how finely made, cannot endure.

Decisions.

Though a man's mind, it was said long ago, may tell him more than seven wise men in a tower, there is a mystery to us all in the workings of that mind. When we say that we have a hard time making up our minds, what does it mean? It means we weigh plus and minus, pro and con, as Robinson Crusoe did when he was trying to decide if he was glad or sorry that he was alive. We admire decision of character; we applaud those who reach a conclusion, and are prompt to act upon it. But there is nothing admirable in the procedure of those who do not wait to learn the facts before they come to a conclusion. A prompt decision may be wrong; it does not follow that it is correct merely because it is instantaneous. What is the use of swift thinking if it is erroneous thinking? Why should a man receive credit for rapid mental processes when those processes are fundamentally unsound?

It will not do to avoid errors of judgment by evading all responsibility and shifting the burden of decision to others forever. Sooner or later we must make up our minds. Life is a series of choices and chances accepted or refused. We look back and we mourn in vain that at a certain dividing of the pathway we went to the right instead of the left or *vice versa*. ...t if we could go back and retrace ... course, we might have been worse ...han we are now.

...s easy to let others decide and ... say: "Don't blame me. That ... my fault. Put the blame ... belongs." There are always ...will rise up and claim the ...one who will candidly ad... ...rror was mine, and the ...sult of it is to be charg... ...unk." A great deal of ...ice may be hidden be... ...a sleek and plausible surface. When you see people who have never been seriously tried and tempted, you wonder how much of a strain their goodness would endure.

Those who are accustomed to put off to an indeterminate distance the day of reckoning are not those to whom ...mmanding powers are intrusted. It ... weak saying, that many things ... decide themselves if we give them ... enough. They will, but they may ...ecided in a way that is greatly to ...r disadvantage. While the physi...n postpones his treatment, the pa...t may die. While statesmen de..., a nation may suffer for the de... While men procrastinate and ...orize, the business—like a ship ...t a steering hand—may drift to

The Workers' Educational Association.

Over twenty years ago the Workers' Educational Association, familiarly known as the W.E.A., originated in England as the result of an informal conference between some laboring men and some university professors. As a result of this conference the University of Oxford established evening classes for working men and women; soon after the University of Cambridge followed the same procedure.

In 1918 the W.E.A. took root in Canada in co-operation with the University of Toronto. Its growth was at first slow, but in 1923 it had increased until there were 926 working men and women studying University subjects. This year there are nearly 1,200 engaged in acquiring education in this way. There are 19 classes in Toronto and suburbs; 6 classes in Hamilton; 3 in Ottawa; 1 in Brantford; 1 in Galt; 1 in Windsor and 1 in Kitchener. Of this total of 32 classes, 9 classes are studying Economics, 4 are studying English Literature, 5 take Psychology, 5 Public Speaking and the other classes study Finance, Social Evolution, Journalism and Hygiene.

In the Workers' Educational Association there is no propaganda; the purpose is purely and simply to furnish education of University grade to those who missed their opportunity for it in early life. The Provincial University provides the funds for the conducting of classes and welcomes requests for the formation of new classes anywhere in Ontario.

Worry.

I spent an hour
  In fear of the to-morrow,
I grieved and wept,
  Anticipating sorrow.

I knew no rest,
  But when the morrow came,
Like other days
  It seemed to be the same.

I laughed and mocked my fears—
  They seemed so small,
I wondered that they broke
  My rest at all.

Yet in my heart
  A little doubt held sway—
What trouble might I meet
  Another day?

—Abigail Cresson.

A man to whom three years of study have borne no fruit would be hard to find.—Confucius.

—AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME.

The Crumbs We Scatter.

Being kind to others is like other virtues its own reward, but it frequently receives other more tangible recognition. In Ocean Echoes, the author, Mr. Arthur Mason, relates two instances in point.

At a time when I had plenty of money, he writes, I was walking one afternoon in Stanley Park, Vancouver. A young man was sitting on a bench looking pale and hungry and sad.

"What's your trouble?" I asked. "Tell me. I have noticed you sitting here for two hours. Perhaps I can help."

He cleared his throat, and a delicate smile came into his face.

"I'm broke and hungry," he said. "I've been sleeping in the park for the last three nights, and I'm just about sick."

"How did you get yourself into such a fix?"

'I put my money into a little mine up country," he replied, waving his hand toward the north. "There was nothing there."

I paid his room rent and board for a week and gave him twenty dollars.

Years later I met him again. This time it was I that was "down and out" and sick with rheumatism, left from the typhoid fever that had me in its grip when the Goldfield smash stripped me of a fortune. In the little town of Manhattan, Nevada, I met him. I had been riding on a lumber wagon most of the day, trying to get there. Five miles out of town the wagon broke down, and, crippled as I was, I had to walk. I didn't know a soul there. Imagine my astonisment when I walked into town, sick, "broke" and hungry, to find the man whom I had helped in Stanley Park. He recognized me at once and saw what my condition was.

"Now," he said, taking me kindly by the arm, "it's my turn to help you!" He led me to his tent, got a doctor for me and kept me there until I got well.

Then there was the Chinaman on the Frazer River who ran the fantan house at Steveston. Grateful to me for rescuing him from three fishermen who were "beating him up" one night as I passed his door, he never forgot me. Later I saw him in Vancouver while I was standing at a street corner wondering what to do next, for luck had been bad. I saw him walking along on the other side of the street. He crossed and walked up to me with outstretched hand. "How you do?" he said.

He gave me the usual limp Oriental handshake, passed along and left in my hand three twenty-dollar gold pieces!

After such experiences you find that there is indeed truth in the adage about "casting your bread upon the waters." And you are both inspired and made reckless by the sure knowledge that some one will save you from disaster. The crumbs we scatter come back to us as well-baked loaves.

Precocious Commercialism.

"Is your father at home, dear?" Punch says a lady asked when the doctor's little daughter answered the door bell.

"No, he isn't," answered the child. "He's out giving an anaesthetic."

"Oh, what a big word!" cried the lady playfully. "Do you know what it means?"

"It means ten dollars," replied the little girl.

If you're at home when Evil knocks, you'll be found out later.

THE NEW BRITISH PREMIER AND HIS DAUGHTERS

James Ramsay MacDonald at his home in Hampstead, with his three motherless daughters, Sheila, aged 13, at the left, Joan, 15, and Isabel, the 20-year-old chatelaine of 10 Downing Street. Premier MacDonald has two sons, Alister, an architect, and Malcolm, who is attending Queen's College, Oxford.

The Lady and the Tiger.

Miss Gertrude Emerson, who went tiger hunting in Indo-China and who tells her story in Asia, never got a shot at the tiger she hunted, but she was one of those to whom the prospect of killing is the least, not the greatest, lure of the hunt.

The bait, a bullock, was slain and wired strongly to a tree so that the tiger might not be able to carry it away. Although the first bullock was devoured and had to be replaced with another, the hunting party visited the tree at intervals for several nights without success. Tigers were known to be in the neighborhood, for the party heard them at night—"the heart-pumping cough of tigers. They gave no long-drawn snarl, no roar, but three and sometimes four hoarse coughs in quick succession."

Then one night just as a violent storm began to slacken the hunters set out on foot. The men had each an ecetylene lamp fastened to the front of his cap. The grass was taller than their heads as they struck off through it in diverging lines like the spokes of a fan.

"I could just see the little glimmering lights and a blur of white faces dwindling to pinpoints. At what moment would my electric torch be reflected from a pair of green eyes? One of the men let out a blood-curdling yell and we all ran stumbling towards him. He had stepped on a wild pig. Our eyes and ears were strained to the least unaccountable quiver in the darkness of wet grasses swishing like endless waves and closing in like the sea over our heads. For sheer sense of danger that wild stalking through the night was as thrilling as anything in my life."

But they missed the tiger and only lost themselves. It was the day after Miss Emerson had to leave that the quarry was obtained. Early in the morning as the hunters were about to return from another vain visit to the bait they became aware of a flurry among the birds and monkeys. They craned their necks and held their breaths.

"The tiger cautiously slipped into the opening, walked up to the bullock, put his nose down to it and then stared straight over the top of it as if he had heard or smelled something. The moment had come to fire. The tiger jumped straight up fifteen feet into the air, but instead of falling backwards he came down square on his feet and in two leaps had vanished into the jungle. The stained earth showed that he was badly wounded. A trailing party armed with knives and a stout rope went after him. A hundred yards from the bait they came upon him dead. With a bullet through his heart he had still run a hundred yards in dense jungle! Our tiger, whose footprints I had seen and whose voice I had heard, even though I never looked him square in the eye, was a true king of beasts."

Solving Ocean Mysteries.

Little is known of the bottom of the Pacific Ocean except for a few miles of coast round the principal harbors.

Scientists have been keenly interested in this question for many years, and some months ago two American destroyers with experts on board steamed off in an attempt to find the bottom of the sea.

When this is done it is expected that it will be possible to map out the bottom of the Pacific as though it were dry land, and also to discover the causes of earthquakes and other phenomena.

Cut in the side of each destroyer, just below the water line, is a circular hole. Plugging the hole so that it takes the place of the part that has been removed is a round steel disc, which vibrates to electricity with every movement of the ship through the water.

This device is known as a sonic depth finder. It is an apparatus for measuring the depth of the water by means of sound waves. The vibration from the steel disc sends out a sound wave which is "echoed" back from the bottom of the sea.

By timing the journey of the wave and its "echo," experts can compute exactly the distance it travelled. Also by sending out and receiving many waves, they can draw an exact picture of the ocean floor.

There is only one thing so wonderful that it still impresses a man after he has become accustomed to it—himself!

The silver mark has only been the standard coin of Germany for fifty years; previous to that the thaler was in use.

Canadian Newsprint Situation.

The depletion of the pulpwood resources of the United States, and the increased consumption of newsprint for advertising, pamphlets, etc., has resulted in an unprecedented demand for the product of Canadian newsprint mills, and in consequence many new mills are in the course of construction in the Dominion, while the established plants are making extensive additions to cope with the demand In 1922 the production of newsprint in Canada was 1,090,000 tons, of which 887,835 tons were shipped to the United States. During the first eleven months of 1923 production of newsprint amounted to 1,161,325 tons, of which a corresponding quantity was shipped to the States.

At the rate of production for the first four months of 1923, and taking into consideration the new machines put into operation since January, it is estimated that the output for 1923 reached 1,384,000 tons, or 4,610 tons a day. Machines started in 1923 include two at the plant of the Fort William Paper Company, with a daily capacity of 80 tons. Two machines were also put into service by the St. Lawrence Paper Mills at Three Rivers, while the Belgo-Canadian Paper Company, which was reorganized lately, got two new newsprint machines in operation last year. In New Brunswick, the Bathurst Company put two machines in operation, while a third one will be probably started in 1924.

Porduction Promises Increase.

In addition to the plants which were put into operation last year, much development work is now going on which will bring into line a number of newsprint machines in 1924 which will greatly augment production. Price Brothers, at their new mill at Kenogami, will put in two machines, each of 100 tons a day capacity. Donnacona will have completed a similar machine of 100 tons capacity, and the Ontario Paper Company, owned by the "Chicago Tribune," which operates a large mill at Thorold, will have completed by 1924 and put into service a paper-making machine of 80 tons daily capacity. These machines will bring the total capacity of Canadian newsprint mills in 1924 to 1,467,000 tons; or approximately 5,000 tons a day.

It will be noted that the new development work outlined is practically confined to the Eastern Provinces, but recent advices from British Columbia ... which has control of one of ... existing stands of pu... continent, are to the ef... al companies are negotiating ... Provincial Government in regard to the establishment of newsprint plants in that province. The Pacific Mills at Ocean Falls, and the Powell River Pulp and Paper Company, have under way at the present time extensions to their plants which will materially increase their output of newsprint.

It has been frequently predicted by prominent American and Canadian manufacturers that Canada in a short time will assume supremacy as a newsprint producer. There is a steady and growing demand not only from the United States, but from the United Kingdom, the Antipodes, and other countries, and present indications would seem to justify the rapid expansion of the newsprint industry of Canada.

The Safest Saucepans.

An important household question—the choice of a saucepan—has recently been investigated at the Municipal Laboratory of Helsingfors, Finland. Many kinds of metals and other materials are in use for the manufacture of saucepans and other cooking utensils, but owing to the solvent action of some foodstuffs it is certain that chemical salts of the materials used are absorbed to some extent by human beings.

A test was made by boiling, for three hours, 2 lb. of red currants in a number of saucepans of different materials, and then, by chemical analysis, finding how much of the saucepans had been dissolved in the food.

The best figure obtained was that for brass, which was 250 times better than enamel. Brightly-polished brass cooking utensils are used on a large scale in the East.

Copper, tin, nickel, and aluminum vessels were all found good, but iron was found to be much more easily attacked by foodstuffs. Tin, next to polished brass, stood out as the best material for the lining of cooking utensils.

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All the other numbers beginning at 197,502 will be for distribution.

The indication thatt here is an increase in the number of motor cars expected to operate here during the year 1924 is indicated by the number four thousand sent here. This is in advance on last year's total.

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And here below your weeping ones
Amid our grief and gloom
Just whisper on poor mother's grave
Our Father called her home.

No more your sunny smile we'll see
No more your love we'll share,
For gone have you where life is sweet,
In realms so bright and fair.

No more the voice soft and sweet,
That stirred our hearts in youth
That spurred us on to reach the peak
Of kindness, love and truth.

The motherly hand stretched forth to aid
Us in our hour of need
The kindly word in grief's dark hour
Are what we miss indeed.

The plea of mercy softly breathed
When danger gathered nigh
The sorrow of a contrite heart
For these we souly sigh.

But mother dear, why should we weep
When hope for us is given,
For death is but a messenger
That calls our souls to Heaven.

To Satan away though long enthralled
You are his slave no more,
For on the Cross your Saviour died
Your freedom to restore.

O mother dear we know you tread
Life's coronal path above
And sing amid angelic swells,
The wonders of his love.

You sail upon the silvery sea
Where living waters flow,
And reveal in immensity
Where God's eternal breezes blow.

But mother dear we hope to meet
Where sun is known no more,
Where life is one sweet contentment
On God's eternal shore.

From a daughter, Mrs. J. E. Johnson, 128 Buchanan street, Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Building up is the hard part. It takes three generations to make a gentleman, and only one little chorus girl to break one.

SUDDEN DEATH OF HECTOR WOOD, SR.

The sudden death of Hector Wood at his home in the 9th concession of Huntingdon township, on the evening of February 5th, came as a great shock to the community where he was highly respected.

Deceased was 69 years of age having been a resident of the township all his life, spending 46 years on the farm on which he died.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mary of Toronto, Mrs. Robert Downey, of Huntingdon, and one son, Hector, also of Huntingdon Mr. John Wood, a brother and Mrs. Joseph Wood, a sister, both of Huntingdon.

He was a Methodist in religion. The funeral service was held in Bethesda Church, of which the deceased was a member, since it was erected, the service being conducted by the Pastor, Rev. E. F. Swayne, who delivered a very effective address from the text, "Therefore be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh", Matthew 24, 44. The service, throughout was a tribute of deep respect in which the deceased was held. The pallbearers were, Mr C. A. Mitts, Andrew Downey, Albert Graham, Robert Stout, John Downey, and John Blue. Interment took place at White Lake cemetery.

HOCKEY MATCH AT THE RINK FRIDAY NIGHT

The last scheduled High School game of the season that will be played on the Madoc rink will be played between Stirling and Madoc on Thursday evening, February 14th, beginning sharp at 8 o'clock. As these two teams are at the bottom of the league standing and as no team wishes to occupy a cellar position, a good game may be expected. So far Madoc citizens have very generously patronized these games and as the boys need a good gate receipt to pull out even we extend a hearty invitation to all friends of the boys and supporters of the school to come out Thursday night.

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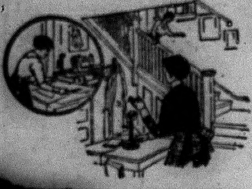

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Cassan, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. Tumelty.

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Mrs. Nickle, of Merrickville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Burnside.

Miss Mary Maynes, of Plainfield, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. R. Wellman.

Aunt Maria says the only thing some people use their heads for is to catch colds in 'em.

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Mrs. R. Wellman left on Monday for Belleville Hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Miss May Connor, is spending a month's vacation in Arthur, Ont. with her sister, Mrs. Tremneur.

Miss Blanche McClintock left last Monday for Belleville, to take a business course in the Albert College.

—Bargains! Some left-overs at G. A. Rollins' February Sale. 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c each.

Be sure and see the large display of sale goods at the Ludbrook Shoe Store, and every article has the greatly reduced price marked on it.

Mrs. George Robinson will receive for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday, February 20th, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The Canadian Olympic hockey team defeated the United States 6 to 1. The Yankees were outplayed at every point.

Mr. Hector Wood, sr., a highly respected resident of Crookston, died suddenly on Tuesday evening last from acute indigestion.

The Maid: "I've often wondered mum, why you don't get rid of that piano and 'ave the radio—look what a lot of dustin's I'd save."

The Register of Norwood was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. The paper will resume as soon as building and plant have been acquired.

—Play entitled: "Martha Made Over," at Hazzard's Orange Hall on Friday evening, February 22nd. Proceeds in aid of the W. M. S. Admission 35 cents.

The Stirling News-Argus has been purchased from Trent Valley Newspapers, Limited (A. R. Alloway manager), by Allan Donnell, late editor of the Trenton Courier-Advocate.

The same discount of 18 to 25% still continues at the Ludbrook Shoe Store, until February 23 on all lines of heavy rubbers, galoshes, slippers, mackinaw sox, mitts, felt boots, and overshoes. This is your opportunity

Mrs. Blue of Crookston, evidently in sympathy with the forecasts of the open winter prophets and in order to rebuke those editors, who are casting it up to them as false proficies forwarded to the Review last week some twigs of a willow tree, whose buds were almost ready to burst into leaf. Mute proof of the fact that there is an open winter around Crookston.

The business known as the Quinte Sun, Trenton, will shortly be incorporated as the Jarrett Printing and Publishing Company, Limited. Mr. Thomas Jarrett, at one time a resident of Deseronto, will presumably head the company which will have as its stock-holders some of Trenton's leading citizens.

Quinlan & Robertson, Limited, with head office at Montreal, and well known in this district through their operations in Crookston quarries and the Washed Sand & Gravel Plant at Fuller, have been awarded the contract for the construction of section No. 8 of the new Welland Ship Canal by the Dominion Government. This section starts at Port Colborne, on Lake Erie, and the tender price was $10,500,00 being about $300,000 under the next lowest tender. Several years will be necessary to complete the contract. Mr. W. E. Tummon is the local manager for the above company.

THE RAISING OF NUTS

Some Practical Observations as to Tree Planting.

Why Nut Trees Are Desirable—Where They May Best be Grown—The Kind to Plant—The Trees May be Top-grafted.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The conservation and improvement of our native nut trees and the introduction of suitable varieties from foreign lands have not occupied a prominent place in horticultural activities in North America until just recently, except in the Southern and Western United States, where a great deal of interest has been shown during the last twenty years in this place of horticulture.

In the northern and eastern States and in Canada there is a growing interest in this useful but much neglected branch of horticulture. An example of this commendable movement is seen in the organization and activities of the Northern Nut Growers Association. This organization was formed in 1909, and is composed of men and women from almost every station in life who are interested in the culture of nut trees and the extension of the use of nuts as articles of human food. At the suggestion of members of this association, the State of Michigan has undertaken an extensive program of nut tree planting along the state highways, and in other northern states good work has been done to encourage people to plant more and better nut trees.

In Ontario comparatively little has been tried to improve and plant our valuable nut trees, and unless something is done to interest the public in this movement we shall lose a golden opportunity to save for ourselves and posterity the remant of the fine nut trees which formerly grew so abundantly in some parts of this Province.

Why Nut Trees Should be Planted.

Most people who are interested in the welfare of the country realize that trees generally should be planted in much greater numbers, and some believe that it would be desirable to plant trees that serve a threefold purpose of food, shelter and beauty.

Nut trees yield a valuable food, provide shelter and beautify the landscape, and thus combine beauty with utility. Large quantities of nuts are imported every year from foreign countries, for which a great deal of money has to be sent out of the country. It is believed that a portion of this demand for nuts could be met by growing a greater number of the best types of native and introduced species.

Where Nut Trees Might be Used to Advantage.

(1) As Roadside and Street Trees: Where the soil and the site are suitable, nut trees should form a part of the scheme of beautifying our highways and streets.

(2) Trees for the Home Grounds: The grounds surrounding many of our homes, both rural and urban, would be more beautiful and productive if planted with some of the best types of native and exotic nut trees.

(3) Steep Hillsides or Other Places: Areas not easily or profitably cultivated could be very well devoted to nut trees provided the soil was suitable.

(4) As Park Trees: City and rural parks should certainly have a collection of native nut trees and some of the hardiest and best exotic species.

(5) As a Commercial Venture: In the warmest part of the Province of Ontario it might pay to establish, on a small scale, commercial plantations of the best varieties of black walnut, Japanese walnuts, hickories, blight-resistant chestnuts, and filberts.

Kind of Nut Trees to Plant.

Nut trees, like fruit trees, are difficult to grow true to type from seed, and hence have to be propagated by budding or grafting. While it is quite true that one may get a very good tree by planting nuts from a desirable tree, it is also true that a considerable proportion of the trees so produced will not be any better or as good as their parent. Because of this uncertainty it is much better to plant budded or grafted trees of superior named varieties.

Inasmuch as nut growing is a comparatively recent development, our Ontario nurserymen have not devoted much attention to the propagation of named varieties of nut trees. There is some interest being shown at present, however, and it is hoped that before long there will be a fair supply of the best varieties of native and foreign nut trees available. In the meantime those who desire to secure named varieties of nut trees will have to place their orders with nut nurserymen in the United States.

Nut Trees May be Top-grafted.

Should the prospective nut culturist not be able to obtain at a moderate figure budded or grafted stock of improved varieties of nuts then, of course, the only thing to do is to grow seedling trees. As previously stated, some of these may produce very good nuts. If superior trees are found in any lot grown from seed, or if an exceptional fine native tree is known to exist, such trees are useful as a source of scions for improving trees that are not so desirable. It is a fact, though not generally known, that nut trees may be top-grafted like fruit trees. This task is not as easy to accomplish as is the case in fruit trees, but if proper methods are followed, very good results may be obtained.—Jas. A. Neilson, Hort. Exp. Station, Vineland Station.

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A few relatives of the bride and groom were in attendance at the ceremony.

The young couple left amid showers of rice and confetti, for a short honeymoon, in Toronto in short honeymoon in Toronto and other Western points. On their return they will reside at his home near Madoc.

Stirling paper please copy.

HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY SCHEDULE

Stirling vs. Madoc....February 14
Marmora vs. Tweed....February 15
Madoc vs. Stirling....February 19
Tweed vs. Marmora...February 22

Games te be played at last named places.

PETITION THAT COX BE GIVEN LIBERTY

If He is Not They Will Not Take Any More Home Boys in Colborne Township

A petition said to be signed by nearly every farmer in Colborne township, Huron county, is being presented to the Attorney General of Ontario asking that the two months' sentence imposed on J. Benson Cox for assault on Charles Bulpitt, the Home boy who hanged himself near Goderich, be remitted.

Mr. John Feagen of Colborne township writes an accompanying letter in which he states that the entire population is of the opinion that Mr. Cox should be released immediately.

"They state," he writes, "that unless this is done they will on no account accept any more Home boys, and those who have boys will send them back to the Homes, from which they came. You can see that this is going to hurt immigration."

Attorney-General Nickle was not at his office this morning and no one in the Department would comment on the petition.

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EFFICIENT FARMING

PICA.

During the winter period when the live stock is of necessity being maintained on the various feeds that were stored for winter maintenance, it is frequently noticed that some animals, either cattle, horses or pigs, are chewing at or eating substances that are quite unnatural from the animal food standpoint. The fence posts, rails, mangers, bits of leather, plaster, soil, and such like, for which healthy stock show no inclination, are attractive to those with depraved appetite, or Pica disease. Animals affected to a serious extent are restless, unthrifty, lose condition and become emaciated. Should spring and green grass come quickly enough, a recovery is made without any other treatment than access to good pasture.

The presence of the symptoms of depraved appetite indicates that there is something wrong with the feeding of the animals, that there is something lacking in the ration, and that that something can generally be expressed as being lime salts. Well nourished animals getting a reasonable amount of good, clean, well kept food rarely show any tendency to eat unnatural objects. In those farm yards where a salt trough is at the service of the animals, and where clovers and other legumes are fed liberally, depraved appetite is unknown.

Should animals become affected with a desire to eat unnatural foods, steps should be taken at once to remedy the trouble and get the animals back to a condition of thrift. Blocks of charcoal and rock salt should be placed where the animals can get them at will. When animals are confined to stalls or pens, powdered charcoal may be given—one-half handful three times per day along with the feed. Advanced cases will generally respond to the following:

Bone flour, 1 pound; powdered gentian, 4 ounces; common salt, 8 ounces; carbonate of iron, 4 ounces; mixed well and given at the rate of one tablespoonful three times each day on feed.

Good feed, such as roots, silage and clovers, well preserved and free from … and bacterial growths, should … and don't forget such …s as rock salt, charcoal … bone meal do much to supply the …al winter deficiency in animal feeds as compared to the green pasture of summer on which all animals thrive.

BLOATING OR HOVEN IN CATTLE.

Nearly every cattle stable is the … of a few experiences with bloating cattle during the winter and spring seasons. Bloating is characterized by swelling at the left flank. In severe cases the distention may be such as to cause great discomfort, and when tapped with the fingers will emit a sound. The animal has a distressed expression and moves uncomfortably, breathing becomes more difficult as the gas distention of the paunch progresses. If the gas is not liberated, or its formation checked in time, rupture of the stomach or death by suffocation may happen.

The causes of bloat, or hoven, can be attributed to any kind of food that will produce indigestion if given in unreasonable quantity. Hasty feeding by greedy animals frequently results in discomfort for the animals and trouble for the stableman. Frozen roots, mouldy feeds, overfeeding with middlings, barley or corn meal, cold, wet feeds, potatoes, cabbage, large quantities of green or frosted green feeds are common causes of this trouble. The digestion process being interfered with, fermentation quickly sets up in the paunch with serious gas distention.

In urgent cases speedy relief is very essential to the continued life of the animal. The quickest relief may be given by puncturing the rumen, using a trocar if such is at hand, or a clean, sharp knife blade will do. Select a point equally distant from hip bone to last rib, which is usually the point of greatest visible distention. In making the incision direct the knife or trocar point downward, inward and a little forward. The sheath of the trocar should remain in the opening to provide exit for the gas. When no trocar is at hand and a knife is used to puncture the paunch the opening may be kept open by a large wing feather from turkey or goose. The feather is prepared by making an opening at each end of the quill and then dipping in boiling water, apply carbolic ointment and insert. While the tube or cannula is in position it should be held by an attendant until sufficient gas has passed out to permit the flank to return to normal condition. It can then be removed.

When the bloating is not severe, as indicated by only moderate swelling at the flank, the trouble can best be relieved by the administration of internal medicines. Aromatic spirits of ammonia given every half hour, two ounces to one quart of water for an animal two years or over. After bloating is over give one pound of glauber salts in not less than 1½ quarts of water. Repeat the physic if necessary.

Hot Beds—Their Construction and Management.

A well managed hot bed is an asset to every home garden. It not only ensures a crop of early tender vegetables, but also makes possible the beautifying of the home surroundings with annual flowers.

Hot beds may be classed as underground or surface types. For general use in the Maritime Provinces, the surface type is preferable. The hot bed site is an important feature in hot bed construction. It should be well-drained, on a southerly slope, protected by buildings, evergreen hedges or a board fence from cold north or west winds, and where all the possible sunshine will be obtained.

The frame—Collapsible frames are recommended. They are easy to assemble and store, and with proper care will last indefinitely. Planed 2-inch spruce plank is generally used in their manufacture. The three-sash size is advocated. The sides for this size should be cut 9 feet, 6 inches long. This allows for a cleat 2 inches wide being fastened on the sides at each end to prevent the planks from splitting, and also for the end pieces to rest against for support. The back or north side should be 16 inches wide, while 10 inches is a good width for the front or south side. This gives a slope to the south which permits the water to run off and favors the passage of the sun's rays through the glass. The ends are 6 feet in length and taper from 16 to 10 inches in width to fit the side boards. Strips of 1-inch board, 6 feet long and 3 inches wide, are fastened 2 inches above the outside edge of these ends to prevent drafts of air going under the sashes. The ends are set in place against the cleats on the sides and fastened with 3½-inch screws. As supports for the sashes and to hold the sides in place, cross strips of board 3 inches wide are sunk into the sides 3 feet from each end and another strip of ¾-inch board 2 inches wide fastened on edge in the centre of the 3-inch supports. These strips prevent the loss of heat and drafts between the sashes. This frame is completed with three 3 feet by 6 feet hot bed sashes, which should be thoroughly painted before use.

The heating material—Horse manure makes the best heating material. It should be quite fresh, not fire fanged or rotten or already heated. A few days before starting the hot bed it should be hauled near to the site chosen and forked loosely into a pile. Within a few days it should be hot enough for use. It should be then built evenly into a rectangular pile 11 feet by 15 feet, ranging when thoroughly tramped from 24 inches to 12 inches in height according to whether it is started late in March or late in April. The frame is placed on top of this, levelled up and banked on the outside with manure and a thin layer tramped on the inside after the frame is in place. The sashes should be put on and the bed left until the temperature becomes constant at between 80 degrees and 90 degrees Fahrenheit, before planting.

The soil—This should be prepared the previous autumn and left in a pile over winter. It should be rich and of a character that will not bake. Good thick pasture sods, composted the previous summer with one-third their bulk of rotten manure, thoroughly mixed and riddled in the spring, make an excellent soil for hot bed purposes. There are two methods of managing the soil in the hot bed. It may be put directly in the frame to a depth of 6 inches and the seed sown therein, or it may be put in flats or boxes 12 inches by 18 inches by 4 inches, the seed sown in these and the flats placed in the hot bed on the surface of the manure. If flats are used, the bottoms should permit of drainage. Small holes bored in the bottoms of the flats answer this purpose. In filling the flats with soil the coarser should be placed in the bottom, care being taken to press it gently into the corner and along the sides. The finer earth is placed on top and the seed sown therein. To the gardener who starts a number of vegetables and flowers in his hot bed, the latter method is advocated, owing to the plants being easier handled at pricking off time. The flats also permit of an easy rearrangement of the plants in the hot bed at any time.

Management—After the seeds is sown, the soil should be watered. When the young plants come up, the hot bed should be aired sufficiently on bright days to prevent the plants from getting spindly or weakly. This is accomplished by raising the back of the sash or by sliding it down, care being taken to prevent the plants being chilled. Later, when the days grow warmer, the sashes may be removed throughout the day. Water must be applied when necessary, preferably during the mornings of bright days. Too much water is injurious, causing "damping off" fungus to destroy the plants. After the young plants show their second leaves and have a good root development they should be transplanted into other flats where they remain until set out in the field or beds. Flowers, celery, lettuce, early cabbage, cauliflowers and onions should be started by April 1st, while tomatoes should be started about April 10th.

If you are making the narrow belts that are so much worn at present, after being sewed up they may easily be turned by fastening a small safety-pin in one end and running it through to the other end.

The Sunday School Lesson

FEBRUARY 17

Joshua and the Conquest of Canaan, Josh. chs. 11-1, 23 and 24. Golden Text—Not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the Lord your God spake concerning you.—Josh. 23: 14.

CONTINUATION OF THE STORY—After the disastrous failure at Kadesh, the people of Israel remained in the wilderness south of Palestine for many years. They lived like the Arabs, a wandering life, seeking the wells and springs of water, and the best pasture lands. Eventually they passed south and east of the Dead Sea, through the lands of Edom and Moab, to the territory of the Amorites east of Jordan, whose cities they captured, though strongly fortified, and whose people they destroyed. Here, in the fortieth year of the Exodus, Moses died, and the leadership of Israel passed to his friend and loyal helper, Joshua. Joshua inherited the spirit of his great master. He had the task of conquest, and his fame is that of a soldier. But like Moses, he was loyal to Jehovah and exalted Jehovah as Israel's true king and Lord. Like Moses, he had the promise and the assurance of the presence of God. See Deut. 31:1-8 and 34:9.

Ch. 1:1. *Joshua . . Moses' Minister.* Joshua is called the minister or servant of Moses also in Exod. 24:13 and 33:11. Compare Deut. 1:38. He appears first as commander of Israel's fighting force in the battle with the Amalekites in the first year of the Exodus (Exod. 17:8-16). He was then a young man (Exod. 33:11), and through all the years that followed, was a faithful and courageous supporter of Moses. He "was full of the spirit of wisdom; for Moses had laid his hands upon him: and the children of Israel hearkened unto him."

V. 2. *Go over this Jordan.* The Israelite people were still on the eastern side of the river. They had taken possession of all of eastern Palestine from the Moabite country northward. See Num. 21:21 to 22:1.

V. 3. *As I said unto Moses.* See the promise to Moses in Deut. 11:22-25.

V. 4. *From the wilderness.* Compare the description given of the boundaries of the promised land in Gen. 15:18 and Exod. 23:31. The wilderness was the wild, sparsely populated country to the south. Lebanon is here the name given to the mountain range in the north. The river Euphrates is the ideal northeastern boundary, which was reached only for a brief period in the reigns of David and Solomon. The Hittites were, in the time of Moses and Joshua, a powerful people, living in the northern part of Syria, with Kadesh on the river Orontes, and Carchemish on the Euphrates, as their chief cities. A Hittite community was found as far south as Hebron, in the time of Abraham (see Gen. 23:3 and 25:9). The great sea is, of course, the Mediterranean, *"toward the going down of the sun."*

V. 5. *Not any man.* A similar promise to Moses appears in Deut. 7:24. The comforting assurance, *"I will be with thee,"* recalls the promise to Moses when he received his call at Horeb, Exod. 3:12. We find the same assurance of God's presence with his servants who are called to perform great tasks, often repeated in Bible history. Compare vs. 9 and 17, 3:7, 6:27, and Deut. 31:8 and 23. And with this goes the declaration of God's unfailing help: *"I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee."*

Vs. 6, 7. *Be strong.* Human strength and courage respond to the divine promise. God's servant must be strong and courageous in reliance upon him, and in obedience to his law. Compare vs. 9 and 18. It is well that the man charged with the leadership in the nation should be strong, courageous and steadfast in his adherence to the right. Such a man is sure to be greatly tempted, but he must hold unswerving allegiance to God's law, and "turn not from it to the right hand or to the left." And so doing, he shall "deal wisely" whithersoever he goes.

Vs. 8, 9. *This book of the law.* The reference seems clearly to be to the first written law, referred to in Deut. 31:9, as having been delivered to the priests and the elders to be preserved by them and taught to the people. It was probably some such law as we find in Deut. chs. 12 to 26. Prosperity and good success for Joshua and for Israel will depend upon its observance.

Ch. 23:1-3 contains the opening sentences of an address delivered by Joshua to the people when he *"was old and well stricken in years,"* (Rev. Ver.) He reminds them of the goodness of God and the great things which he had done for them, and exhorts them to steadfast courage, purity and faithfulness. It is a very noble valedictory, and its keynote is the exhortation of 1. 11,—"Take good heed therefore unto yourselves, that ye love the Lord your God."

APPLICATION.

The keyword of Joshua's character and of his commission is a master word, one to conjure with,—courage. And the tap-root of courage is knowledge of and obedience to the moral law. "Conscience doth make cowards of us all." That is, wrong-doing is the greatest enemy of courage:

Thus oft it haps that, when within
They shrink at sense of secret sin
A feather daunts the brave.

But courage comes when we have God's promises and his presence, when we have the assurance that we are on the side of right and truth, when we are conscious, though humble, of fitness for the task, when we are vigorous in our desire to do God's will. It is for this that we must, like Joshua, be dilligent in our study of "This book of the law." Here we see how God dealt with his people, how he kept his promises, how he revealed his principles and plans.

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The Days Between

BY R. D. BAILEY.

…is half done." Show … o does not dislike to …pairs and "putter- … with the team … ow me one for … ensive to do … necessary, …f things that need to be done if the season's work is to progress smoothly. Many farmers, through lack of planning, foresight and timeliness, simply have to take valuable time to do it, in the midst of the season's work, that could have been done during the time less valuable.

During cold, raw days the farm shop is especially valuable. Here, comfortable with a fire made of cobs, bits of broken boards, trimmings from trees, and other rubbish, the farmer can sharpen his saws, planes, drawshaves, bits, augers, axes, hatchets, and mowing machine knives, etc., so that they are ready for effective work at an instant's notice.

This is a good time to sharpen the butcher knives, paring knives, and shears for his wife. Repair, black and oil harness. Potato crates should now be mended, and cupboards and shelves for the house, and other household conveniences built in the shop.

With the house warmed with its stoves, this is the best time of the year to make household repairs and interior alterations before the spring housecleaning.

Test seed corn. It has been stated at the Agricultural College that, by testing his seed corn, a farmer can make fifty dollars a day, for the time consumed in testing, and thus put himself into the class with civil engineers, physicians and lawyers, as an earner. Where seed germination tests show a low per cent. of good seeds, better seeds should be purchased, if possible, to secure them; if not, then the amount of seed sown or planted should be increased to insure a better stand.

As the weather becomes warmer, and the farmers can work barehanded, the hay track, fork and rope can be inspected, and stalls and stable floors repaired. There will usually be planks worn thin in floors; manger fronts or partitions gnawed by horses; feed and salt boxes coming to pieces, or gnawed; partitions partially kicked to pieces. That "a stitch in time saves nine" can be attested by thousands of farmers who failed to take that stitch.

Take the hay rack and the wagon box into the shop and repair and paint them, or make new ones.

Put in window lights. Put a fender in the pen where the sow is to farrow, and save pigs and dollars. Make some gates in the shop if you do not buy them.

Take drags to blacksmith shop and have teeth sharpened. Take the cultivator teeth, too, if it is cheaper to have them sharpened than to buy new ones. Have the grub hoe sharpened, and a new point drawn on the crowbar. Make a load for the blacksmith shop, while you are at it, and throw in all chains that need repairs. If it needs repairs, hitch the grain drill behind the same wagon.

Buzz up the pole wood. Split and pile all wood, so it will dry out in these spring winds. It is a mark of an improvident man to have to cut driblets of wood morning and night, after field work has begun, and the feelings of the wife had better be imagined than expressed.

While fence posts are frozen in they can best be cut off neat and even. This improves the appearance of the field or farm like cutting a man's hair and giving him a shave.

Barbed wire and woven wire can be stretched while the ground is still frozen. Established fences, on which the wire has sagged, can be tightened. After the frost is out of the ground, but fields are too soft to be traveled, post holes can be dug and new fences built.

Build one or more portable hog-cots of the A-type. Build a stock-loading chute. Make some chicken coops. Repair the hen yard. Dig some shade trees in the woods. Clean chimneys and work soot in around rose bushes, the shrubs and perennials of the hardy border, and around the pieplant.

Bring home some brick to top out old chimneys, and to build new ones where a stove pipe has been used. Hundred of houses in this province have been burned, and their owners reduced to distress, through shiftlessly depending on a rusty stove pipe stuck through a roof. Don't go through another winter on a stove-pipe basis. "Do it now."

Sell surplus horses, for the demand is at its best at the approach of spring. Buy early if you have to buy.

Sheep Notes

Blindness from conjunctivitis is, as a rule, temporary when caused by strong winds blowing over snow into a sheep's eyes. That is also true of "snow blindness" which probably is associated with the cold wind as a cause of irritation. We have had many complaints of such blindness this season.

Affected sheep should at once be moved into a darkened pen. Bathe the eyes frequently with a saturated solution of boric acid, and if there is a heavy discharge from the eyes, put a few drops of 15 per cent. solution of argyrol in the eyes two or three times daily. If there is no heavy discharge put a little bit of 1 per cent. yellow oxide of mercury ointment in the eyes each evening.

Our Ice Ring.

It is a rare treat to work on a farm in the Fairplane neighborhood during the hot summer months. When you go to the shade for water, you find a chunk of ice in the bucket. At mealtime iced drinks are served; the food is crisp and fresh; ice cream is to be had twice a week.

I wondered how these farmers did this. I learned from Mr. Stanton, my employer, that ice is not a luxury with them. Instead, with scarcely any expense, they were making money by using it in their farming business.

"Down on the Smith place, said Stanton, "is an old barn which serves as our community icehouse. From it we farmers get what we need, each farmer weighing out his own ice, whenever he wants it, leaving a memorandum of what he gets. No money changes hands.

"When winter comes, and other work is slack, Smith goes out among the farmers of the neighborhood. Each one who wants ice agrees to give a few days of his time. When the time comes the men gather at the creek with ice saws and hooks, and the cutting begins. Afterwards they bring teams for hauling the ice and sawdust for the packing.

"There are about eight farmers in the ring. At the end of the season we estimate the number of tons put up. It often happens that one man will require more ice than others; that is remedied by his putting in extra time. We don't figure too closely, because one never knows just the amount he will need. If a man is unable to give his time, he hires a substitute.

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To iron a round centrepiece, so that it will lay flat in the centre, always iron from the centre to the outside.

All conversions are not in religion. Many of us have to be converted to new and better thought and ways. Ofttimes these conversions are the hardest kind to make.

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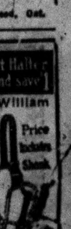

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...TH CONFESSIONS OF BUSINESS WOMEN

...ictly novel book has just been ...out by the Division of Industrial Hygiene of the Provincial Board ...h. It is a book for business ...ritten by business women ... and is the joint work of ...200 and 800 secretaries, stenographers, bookkeepers, ... operators, and others. ...onfessions of Business Women ...ollection of very frank and ...tters on the health problems ...ost, one might say, the life ...—of business women. The introduction discusses the special features of the office worker's life and points out that the two rival hazards are, on the one hand, monotony, on the other, over-filling of life.

The first chapter deals with the philosophy of health and shows that as no two women have precisely the same health problem each one should do her own "stock-taking" and make her own rules accordingly. The second chapter covers the psychological factors in health and discusses such subjects as congenial employment, use of leisure, the necessity of having an alert mind and broad outside interests, religion, service of others, moral qualities, etc., etc.

The third chapter deals with health in its narrowest meaning, physical health, and gives the business girls' own experience on subjects such as food, sleep, air, exercise, etc.

The fourth chapter goes in some detail into the problem of where and how to live in a boarding house or rooming house, alone or with others, showing the effect on health of the different ways of living and suggesting what methods would best suit the different temperaments.

The fifth chapter deals with working conditions, such as seating, light, rest rooms, rest periods, organization, etc., the sixth with "personal maintenance," that is, all the factors concerned in the "up-keep" of a feminine worker. The seventh, perhaps the most original chapter in the book, is called "Technique of life" and is concerned with method—how to arrange your life and plan your time, how to help yourself to keep happy and well. Following this chapter come two appendices showing in detail how to "take stock of your life," the questions to ask yourselves and a method of evaluating your expenditure of time. A third appendix—the only text-book part in the whole work—gives a brief and eminently practical account of food values and meal planning.

Altogether the book is an excellent hand book for office workers in which every girl will find her own problems of life discussed. It is "expert" in the sense that it is written by girls who are themselves coping with the problems.

But "Health Confessions of Business Women" has other uses, ones probably not contemplated by the editors or authors. Sociologically, it is of interest as showing the living conditions, standards of life, and educational attainments of many different types of working women. It is for the psychologist, however, that it is of chief interest for here we have letters from women of many different temperaments all struggling with the central problem of making the most of their lives and each one attacking the problem from her own angle. That the part played by temperament is enormous is easily seen—there are cheerful, confident letters from the girls with happy dispositions who find life good and interesting despite rather deadening circumstances, and sad, dispirited letters from others whose actual conditions of life are apparently easier. Following rapidly upon each other are views from the practical and the dreamer, the materialist and the idealist, the socially minded and the egotist, the 'mixer" and the solitary, the pessimistic and the optimistic, the "pusher" and the drifter. For any one who is interested in studying humanity and comparing its varying types "Health Confessions of Business Women" is in a modest and unassuming way a valuable human document.

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Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are changeable—one bright, the next one cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds, and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The new sales tax will not increase the price of Baby's Own Tablets, as the company pays the tax. You can still obtain the Tablets through any medicine dealer at 25 cents a box, or by mail, post paid, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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And lengthening shadows slowly
creep,
And all the cares that day infest
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While stars their silent watches
keep.

...tside while winds of Winter blow,
...nd falls the curtain of the night,
...omely hearth with fire aglow
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light,
...ke Winter evenings glad and
bright.

...memory of these peaceful eves
...ll stir the heart in years to be,
... when life's hopes, like Autumn
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Writes expression on lip and brow.
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No Fun.

A woman came into a car with five children. She busied herself seating them. A benevolent old gentleman arose and gave her his seat.

"Are those all your children, madam," he asked, "or is it a picnic?"

"They're all mine," snapped the woman, "and it's no picnic.'

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An ignorant young man who was converted at a revival meeting decided to be a minister. He told the Doctor of Divinity, who talked with him about the importance of an education for the ministry in these days. "Oh," said the young fellow, "I only have to open my mouth and God will fill it." "Well," said the D.D., "a similar thing happened in Baalam's time."

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Honest John.—"Position wanted," reads an advertisement in a Shanghai newspaper. "A young Chinese with four years' experience in English seeks place as a junior clerk. Salary no objection."

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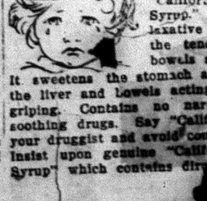

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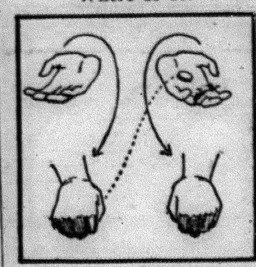

This is the amateur trickster's opportunity to prove that the hand really IS quicker than the eye.

Hold your hands in front of you, about eight to ten inches from the body, with the palms of both upward. In one hand a half dollar lies. The half dollar should be about in the middle of the palm.

Turn the hands rapidly over, turning the right hand toward the left and the left toward the right, closing them as they turn. The coin should fly from one hand to the other but so rapidly that a person standing directly in front of you cannot see its flight. As both hands close at the same time he will have some difficulty in guessing which hand contains the coin. The trick will not be accomplished the first time the beginner tries it as it requires a certain knack that will come with practice.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

Cutting His Losses.

The sea, says "Whiting" in the Boston Herald, breeds philosophy and logic and an agreeable way of viewing many things. Take for example this case of a handy man on Cape Cod:

"How much do I owe you, Obed, for fixing the screen?" a cottager asked him.

"Wal, be ye goin' to pay cash or charge it?"

"Oh, whichever you prefer."

"Wal, if it's cash, it's two dollars and sixty cents fer the job; but if you're goin' to charge it, it'll be two dollars."

"Why, Obed, that's queer! Usually it's less when it's cash."

"Yep; but ye see so many summer folks' go 'way an' fergit to pay their bills, I lose more where it's charged, an' so I'd rather keep them charge accounts as small as I kin."

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

His Subsequent Action.

"Gap, what would you do if you had a million dollars?" asked Mrs. Johnson the other evening.

"What's—yaw-w-wn!—that?" returned Gap Johnson, of Rumpus Ridge, starting out of a halfway doze.

"What would you do if you had a million dollars?"

"I wouldn't do nuth'n' till I got plumb rested."

At the time of the armistice there were some 10,000 dogs with the armies of all sides.

Be what your friends think you are; avoid being what your enemies say you are, go right forward and be happy. —Marcus Mills Pomeroy.

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Sing, little Fire—
You have done your part,
And the love that makes you
Warms a cold world's heart.

Sing, little Fire—
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Do not throw out empty cans that have had any kind of food in them without flattening them so that no cat can get its head into one. Cats and dogs have caught their heads in empty cans when seeking food and have been cruelly injured or have died before they were released. Simply stamping on a can will answer the purpose. Pounding the can flat is the best method.

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"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages of Pape's Diapepsin.

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Lady to salesman who had unrolled all the linoleum—"Thank you, so much, my little boy has enjoyed it. I'll bring him to-morrow to see the carpets."

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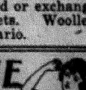

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So Says Mrs. MacPherson of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Brantford, Ontario.—"I was always tired and the least exertion would put me out for a day or two. I had a pressing pain on the top of my head, pain in the nape of my neck, and when I stooped over I could not get up without help, because of pain in my back. I did not sleep well and was nervous at the least noise. I keep house, but I was such a wreck that I could not sweep the floor nor wash the dishes without lying down afterwards. A friend living near me told me what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for her so I began to take it. With the first bottle I felt brighter and got so I could wash dishes and sweep without having to lie down. Later I became regular again in my monthly terms. I have taken ten bottles all told and am now all better. I can truly say that your wonderful medicine cannot be beaten for putting health and vim into a woman."—Mrs. JAMES H. MACPHERSON, 309 Greenwich St., Brantford, Ont.

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AT MADOC

STIRLING VS. MADOC

THURSDAY, FEB. 14TH

Game Called at 8 o'clock.

ADMISSION 35C CHILDREN 25C

This is the last Home Game of the Season

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County Hastings Orangemen Meet

Elected and Organiza- Meetings Arranged— 12th at Tweed

meeting of the County Hastings Orange Lodge Madoc last Tuesday. t from Stirling and dis- Walter Martin, Harold ar Matthews, Alex. Mar- J. Tanner. The reports owed that the year had ful one.

ted were:- County Mas gerty, West Huntingdon; aster, P. H. Kelly, Foxboro; Rev. J. M. Whyte, Eldora; Edgar Matthews, Stirling; S., Geo. Glover, Queensboro; Treas. S. Martin, Stirling; D. of C., J. S Hayton, Hazzard's Corners; Lecturer Wm. Knox, Madoc; 1st Dep. Lect., Edward Way, Tweed.

The County celebration will be held at Tweed on July 12th.

Organization meetings will be held as follows:

Stirling lodge March 3rd: West Huntingdon, March 5th; Holloway, March 4th; Ivanhoe, March 6th; Harold, March 7th; Springbrook, March 11th; Wellmans, March 12th.

BUNDOCK CASE IN LIMELIGHT AGAIN

An echo of the Bundock case of last fall was heard in the Supreme Court of Ontario last Saturday. The defendant appealed from the decision of the County Judge regarding his demand for particulars of the charges brought by Mrs. Stewart. Judge Logie in his decision handed out at Osgood Hall, requires that the particulars be given, otherwise the charges of fraud, misrepresentation and deceit as distinguished from undue influence in paragraphs 3-8, must be struck out.

Cross & Co's Annual FEBRUARY SALE

Lasts until March 1st.

Specials for This Week

ds of comforter fancy Chintz for $1.75
hams, all colors - 19c yd
Macinaw Socks - - 50c pr
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and Overshirts each $1.65

COMPARISON OF PRICES OF CHEESE

The following letter has been received by Mr. McCaffrey and will be of interest to some of our readers:

United Dairymen Co-operative
Montreal, Jan. 19, 1924.

Dear Mr. McCaffrey

Cowan writes that you want a comparison between our prices at Belleville and the Madoc Board for the past season and I enclose a memorandum which shows a difference in favor of the U.D.C. of 79c a pound. I do not know if I have all the Madoc sales or not but I have taken those that I have and the corresponding week at Belleville.

W. W. Moore.

Comparison of Prices between U.D.C. Belleville Sales and the Madoc Cheese Board, season 1923, for No. 1 grade (U. D. C. Specials sold for 1-16 more)

Date	U.D.C.	Date	Madoc
May 19	15 5 8	May 17	15 1-2
June 2	17 1-8	May 31	17
June 16	16 3 4	June 14	16 11-16
June 30	16 11-16	June 27	16 1-8
July 7	18 5-16	July 5	17 13-16
July 21	18 1-4	July 19	17 3-8
July 28	19 5 8	July 26	19 9-16
Aug. 11	20 5-16	Aug. 9	18 5-8
Aug. 25	24 1-16	Aug. 23	21 7 8
Sept. 8	24 3-8	Sept. 6	23 7-16
Sept. 22	23 13-16	Sept. 22	23 1-2
Oct. 6	20 5 8	Oct. 6	No bid no sale
Oct. 20	19 3-4 w	Oct. 20	19 1-4
Oct. 27	19 1-8 w	Oct. 27	18 9-16
Nov. 10	17 5-8 w	Nov. 10	17 1-4
Average	19.47c	Average	18.68c

Note—At the last three sales we sold white for less than colored and we have used the lower quotation.

U. D. C. average price higher than Madoc by .79c per pound.

Peterboro, Feb. 6—Procrastination of the Peterboro School Board in deciding a policy for the extension of the Collegiate Institute, as reported necessary by Inspectors of the Department of Education, was roundly condemned by J. A. Houston, of the Department, in a report read here last night.

Arsenic Demand Focuses Attention on Ont. Deposits

U. S. Will Require Five Times The World's Production for Cotton Crop

The U. S. Bureau of Entomology estimates that 150,000 tons of refined arsenic will be needed this year to fight the boll weevil in the cotton crop of the south. This is five times the world's annual production As a result attention is being focused on Canadian arsenic deposits and several U. S. firms have been looking over high grade deposits such as those of Joseph James in Hastings County, Ontario. It is understood that New Yorkers are at present considering the purchase of this property.

It has been known for years that the above deposit was about the highest grade in the world, but any attempts to purchase it always faced the condition that the actual treating of the ore would have to be done on the property. In other words Mr. James has contended that the operation should be a Canadian one on Canadian soil. Offers submitted so far have evolved the shipping of the arsenic concentrates out of the country. Mr. James wants the roasting done at Hastings.

An analysis of the ore on the James property shows that there is a sufficient gold content to pay for the mining and extraction of the gold leaving the arsenic concentrates as a profit. In some cases assays show that there would be an actual profit on the gold. The gold content is $3 to $4 average while the ore runs 10 per cent. in arsenic.

The property is 400 acres in extent and has two water power sites which would provide cheap power. The estimate of the U.-S. Government agents places the cotton acreage at 34,852,000 requiring 25 pounds of arsenic each. A report of the Natural Resources Bureau at Ottawa deals with arsenic as a factor in agriculture, it having been found by tests to stimulate on low concentration, acting on all benefial bacteria. This holds out quite a future for arsenic in Canada. Mr. James says it is his desire to see a large arsenic and insecticide plant erected in Hastings. He is 70 years of age, but hopes to live to realize his dream for the good of the section he has spent his life in.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Jas. Stapley

After a lingering illness there passed away on Friday, Jan. 20th, at her residence in the 9th Con. of Sidney, Mrs. Jas. Stapley in her 65th year. She was born in the township of Rawdon 64 years ago being the daughter of the late Paul Eggleton and has resided in Sidney for the last 45 years. She was a life long member of the Methodist Church also a life member and a faithful worker of the W.M.S. She leaves to mourn her, her husband, 5 sons and 6 daughters, also 21 grand children.

They being Harry and William, of Rawdon; Fred, of Alta; Robert, of Thurlow; and Murney at home.

Mrs. Frank Sarles, Mrs. C. A. Jarvis, and Mrs. John Cook, of Sidney, Mrs. William Cooke, Mrs. Ernest Wilson and Mrs. Roy Wilson, of Thurlow; also 5 brothers and one sister, George A. Thomas A., Herbert P., of Stirling; Walton E., Nathan D., and Mrs. George Clarke, Sidney.

The funeral was held on Jan. 28th one o'clock from her late resi- with the services at the Eggle h, conducted by, the Rev Interment at Clark's cem- arers were:—R. Cham- d. S. Danford, H. Ash. and D. Stewart. rings were:— ly. dren. nd Sister. Toronto.

born in a like to ing.

TRIBUTES ARE PAID TO HASTINGS COUNTY

Songs, speeches, exchanging of reminiscences of the good old times and finally a dance, comprised the after-dinner programme set before the members of the Hastings County Club at the fourth annual banquet held at Hunt's Yonge and Bloor streets, Toronto. One and all were unanimous in expressing strongly the view that of all the counties of Ontario none was quite up to the high standard of Hastings.

President Cleworth Foster was in the chair, and during the course of the evening Vice-President Clifford Hatton announced that a new Hastings County Club was to be formed to supersede the present society, fee for each member of the new association to be one dollar.

Speeches eulogistic of Hastings county and containing numerous entertaining and reminiscent allusions were delivered by W. H. Ireland, Conservative member for the Legislature for West Hastings, and who last week was selected as Conservative Whip, and by J. F. Hill, M.P.P. for East Hastings. Messages of good will from the neighbouring county of Northumberland were brought by J. P. B. Belford, member in the Legislature for East Northumberland. Harold Welsh proposed the toast of "The County," which was responded to by George Eckert.

WEDDING BELLS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaw, Eldorado was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, Feb. 6th, when their only daughter Jennie Mabel was united in marriage to Wm. Clifford Hannah only son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hannah of Camden East. Promptly at 6 o'clock the bride entered the drawing room leaning on the arm of her father to the strains of Mendelssohns wedding march played by her cousin Leslie Herbison of Queensboro.

Miss Eva Keene of Belleville acted as Bridesmaid, while the groom was assisted by Mr. Alger Post of Fuller.

The winsome young bride wore a charming gown of white Satin de Chene, beautifully beaded and veil of Tulle and wreath of orange blossoms.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold necklace set with pearls, to the bridesmaid a gold brooch set with pearls and to the groomsman, a gold tie pin.

After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. M. Whyte, the guests to the number of fifty repaired to the dining room where a dainty luncheon was served. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents, showing the high esteem in which she was held. The following morning the happy young couple left by train for Niagara Falls and points west, the bride travelling in a brown silk dress, brown velour coat and hat to match.

On their return they will reside at Camden East where the groom is a properous young farmer.

CROOKSTON

A number from our village attend the hockey match Havelock vs Tweed which was played in Tweed on Friday night last.

Mrs. Ethel Emerson is visiting friends in Tweed for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elliott, of Ivanhoe, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mullet.

Mrs. N. Benny spent the week end in Marmora visiting her sister.

Mrs. Bateman Tanner and babe of Madoc visited Miss Jennie Tanner on Sunday.

The Standard Church is holding a five day convention starting on Feb. 20 Rev. Monohan will be in charge.

A number of C. P. R. surveyors have been boarding at Miss Tanner's this past week, they are surveying land for a siding down to the Quinlan and Robertson gravel pit.

Misses Bernice and Olive Blue spent Sunday with their parents.

Presentations and Addresses

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaw, Eldorado—also to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown, Madoc

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 5th a large number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. W. T. Brown, Madoc, in honour of the marriage of her son, William to Miss Blanche Bateman, of Springbrook and to extend their good wishes for future happiness to the young couple. During the evening the following address was read by Miss C. Devolin:-

To Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown,

Dear friends:-

It is with great pleasure that we your many friends and neighbours have assembled here this evening, to celebrate the beginning of your conjugal life together.

We are glad that you have chosen to remain in our community, and we extend a most sincere and warm welcome to Mrs. Brown, who we hope will find us true friends and neighbours. To Will, we extend our congratulations on his choice, and can assure you, that our associations in the past have been most congenial.

In conclusion we wish to express what we have said in a more tangible way by asking you, to accept this gift, (a silver tea set and a half dozen silver knives and forks) not for its intrinsic value, but just as a slight token of the esteem in which you are held. We hope that future years may bring you both, prosperity, love, health and joy, peace and may you like folks in story books be happy ever after.

Signed,
Carl Allt,
Ogle Devolin.

Mr. Brown made a fitting reply thanking all for the kindly interest and beautiful gift. Several others were now called upon by Mr. J. Gunn to wish the young people, Bon voyage on the Sea of life. Refreshments were served and the rest of the evening passed happily away in dance and laughter.

Stirling paper please copy.

On Friday evening a number of friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaw, Eldorado, and presented their daughter Jennie with a beautiful Alladin lamp and shade: Aluminum double boiler, and aluminum sauce pan, previous to her departure to her new home at Camden East.

Following is the address—

Dear Jennie:-

We, your friends, associates and neighbours have met here to-night to tell you how sorry we are to know that you are soon to leave us, and that all the old ties of friendship that have marked our intercourse for so many years will be broken.

We have known you always as a pleasant companion, a bearer of cheer and light-heartedness and we feel more keenly now than ever, all that we are losing, and what you have meant to us, a bright loving spirit, that has shed cheer over the common every day ways of life.

You have been a willing assistant in all good causes, a real helper in time of need, and we know that wherever you may go, you will bear with you the same kind influence.

To show how much we esteem all these things in your life and character, and how much we will miss you, we bring you these gifts and our last and best wish to you, on this eve of your departure, is that the future may hold great joy for you, in every way and most of all, in the Service of Him, who, in joy as well as in pain, will bear you up, and lead you onward into the ways of all true life.

Signed on behalf of all friends and well wishers, Keitha Blakely, Ena Sandford, Karl Blakely, Mrs. J. M. Whyte.

Eldorado, Feb. 1st, 1924.

HIGH SCORING CHEESE

Great interest is being shown in the return of the Government Cheese Graders at Belleville, showing how the cheese of different factories graded during the season of 1923. A number of factories that sold at Belleville through the United Dairymen Co-operative, Limited, obtained particularly good scores in the matter of specials. These were as follows:

Hoards of Stirling 40.76 p.c. specials 100 p.c. specials and firsts.

Menie of Campbellford 39.80 p. c. specials, 100 p.c. specials and firsts.

Springbrook of Stirling 39.00 p. c. specials, 100 specials and firsts.

Ben Gill of Prince Edward County 20.22 p.c. specials, 100 p.c. specials and firsts.

Haldimand of Colborne 15.56 p. c. specials, 100 p.c. specials and firsts.

Rylestone of Campbellford 10.50 p.c. specials, 99.65 p.c. specials and firsts.

Cooks of Marmora 15.86 p.c. specials and 98.08 p.c. specials and firsts.

Alexandria of Madoc 24 15 p.c. specials and 99.11 p c. specials and firsts.

Riverside of Marmora 27.58 p.c. specials and 89.05 p.c. specials and firsts.

Brickley of Hastings 25.26 p. c. specials and 85.88 specials and firsts.

The United Dairymen Co-operative Limited factories were the only ones in the Central Ontario districts that secured specials last season, for which they were paid a premium of ¼c per pound over the top market price for firsts. The reason so many graded specials, as given by the Government grader, is that their cheese was placed in cold storage for two or three days before being graded.

ROD AND GUN

The story or Three Yankee Hunters who came up from New York to have some hunting in New Brunswick is well described by Charles E. Williams of New York, one of the party, in the March issue of Rod & Gun in Canada, and all sportsmen will enjoy this narrative: For those who have never visited Jasper National Park, or those who wish to renew their remembrances of this beauty spot. C. E. Crowbridge's well illustrated article on Jasper Park will be of particular interest. "Fishing on the Eastern Slope of the Rocky Mountains" is a good story by D. E. Elliott, while Bonnycastle Dale has a good account of moose hunting in Nova Scotia. In the Guns and Ammunition department, H. W. Fry and J. R. Mattern continue their good articles in the new series, while R. P. Lincoln, W. C. Motley, J. W. Winson, F. V. Williams and F. H. Walker have filled their various departments with interesting reading for the sportsman. The March issue of Rod and Gun in Canada contains something to interest all lovers of hunting, fishing, shooting and kennel interests, while there are articles dealing with many phases of outdoor life.

DO YOU SKATE?

There will be skating at the Madoc Skating Rink every afternoon and evening, weather permitting

Chocolate Bars, Chewing Gum, Soft Drinks and Hot Dogs Sold at the Rink

Admission: Adults 20c Children 10c Season Tickets $3.00 Family Tickets 5.00

Madoc Skating Rink

Superior

to the finest Japans,

"SALADA"

GREEN TEA H434

is the best at any price—Try it.

Woman's of To-Day

BUYING A HAT.

I went forth to buy a hat. A simple process, it would seem. When I returned my mind registered despair. I cherished the thought that saints needed only halos. Oh, the sights I saw! I lost all faith in my fellow woman. Think of the mother of six, bearing on her face all the signs and symbols of frantic struggles to get breakfast for those six, with a husband thrown in for good measure, being persuaded by a vamp of a saleswoman that she was a Cleopatra in an azure Egyptian hat with straight pieces over the ears, embroidered with wormlike cobras of Pharaonic dynasties!

Think of a hatchet face, anaemic and wrinkled, going below the silk beaver topper of the gay young Prince of Wales, its curved brim sprouting a black silk shaving brush at a rakish angle. Imagine a fat and florid face, a bit moist with anxiety, gray hair straggling back from thick ears, smiling at itself in a Rose Descat helmet, high-crowned, narrow of brim, with a cascade of tropical palm leaves tumbling over one ear; or an old maid's face belonging to the generation that made old maids the burden bearers of the family, gazing with lackluster eyes in a mirror that reflected a visored jockey's cap marked off in sections like a cantaloupe, the colors black and purple. Surely the French proverb should be pasted on each mirror, "Search the face well and without optimism, before choosing a hat."

Not only the face, but on's environment, social activities, type of mind, outlook on life should count. The wrong choice gives away one's secret foolishness. Be sure you are coquettish before attempting a Dutch bonnet. Be sure you look mysterious and a trifle melancholy before attempting the tiara turban of the Russians; a bit wicked and pagan before accepting the wound turban of the Indian dancer. Remember that you should run from the wing feathers of the African bird as fast as he would run from you unless you were fitted by Nature to carry his plumage. Whether the feather is burnt, tortured, glycerined or curled, regard it with a speculative eye.

Each of these hats and fancies is at the top notch of fashion. Every one of them will be thrust upon you by those who have no conscience.

CLUB WOMEN, ATTENTION!

If your club is just drifting along, meeting now and then to exchange the latest news, or if the women in your community have never organized, why not develop a home-makers' club? The plan is for each member to teach the other members how to do something in which she excels. In one community in our county there is a home-makers' club having twenty-five members. Regular meetings are held the second and fourth Thursdays of each month; the meetings begin at ten and close at four. Each woman brings a luncheon consisting of sandwiches, fruit and cake or cookies. The hostess for the day serves hot beverages during the cold months and iced tea, grape-juice or lemonade at the summer meetings.

Some of the demonstrations which have been most interesting included the removal of stains, remodeling clothing, batik and dyeing, basket weaving, methods of serving food, first-aid suggestions, making a dress form, methods of cooking vegetables and food selection for the healthy family.

Has your club a "hobby show"? If not, you will want one. What is a hobby show? Just this: Each member of the club is asked to bring a sample of her hobby and tell how to make it. If she is using her hobby to make "pin money" it is interesting to have her tell some of the methods she uses to market her product.

We had a hobby show in our club, the members of which are rural women. Each woman gave a demonstration showing how her exhibit (or hobby) had been made. The demonstrations included the making of a set-in pocket, pillows filled with milk-weed pods, hooked rugs, quilts, Swedish weaving, embroidery, tatting, crocheting, china painting, water-color painting, decorated candles, lamp shades, artificial flowers, baskets and angel cake.

The baskets were made of iris leaves which had turned brown. The maker showed how she steamed the leaves and then showed the method of weaving baskets. The closing demonstration was the mixing of an angel cake. Following this, angel cake and grape-juice were served.

So many ideas developed from this show that members of the club planned to have these demonstrations become a regular feature of their club meetings, their club program providing for several of these meetings during the year.—Eva Floyd Smith.

A POPULAR EVER SEASONABLE STYLE.

3971. The apron and house dress are now considered an essential in every woman's wardrobe. Surely the model here portrayed will be much admired for its graceful lines and attractive pocket. As a porch "dress" or for garden and kitchen, this style will be very satisfactory.

The pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: Small, 34-36; Medium, 38-40; Large, 42-44; Extra Large, 46-48 inches bust measure. A Medium Size requires 4 yards of 36-inch material. The width at the foot is about 2 yards.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15c in silver, by the Wilson Publishing Co., 73 West Adelaide St., Toronto. Allow two weeks for receipt of pattern.

BUILT SPECIAL CUPBOARD.

My good husband took a strip four feet six inches off one side of our medium-sized kitchen and in the middle of the strip built spacious cupboards from floor to ceiling with doors and two drawboards. At one end of this strip he fitted a full-sized door, the newly acquired space here opening into the cellarway. In here he put a number of cleats full of nails to hold kettles, frying pans, griddles and pails, and in back of the cupboards some open shelving for food, making a sliding door of a window screen, thus keeping out the mice and flies. An outside window gives light and air and its new wide ledge affords a safe place for pies to cool.

At the opposite end of the cupboard was put a narrow door into a "catch-all." This space has shelving room for boxes of caps, mittens, overshoes, sunshades, and much else out of season. A row of short shelves is fitted in here back of the cupboards, and cleats full of hooks line the rest of the wall space and hold hats, overshoes, coats, etc., in season. This room holds also laundry bag, ironing board, broom, carpet sweeper, boots, overshoes, and one thousand other things.

The kitchen is now very handy, and since my husband has provided a place for everything it is up to me to keep everything in its place.—M. C. Adams.

FOSTER HOMES WANTED

For BOYS and GIRLS of school age. Specially selected for Immigration to Canada. Further information apply to

The Salvation Army
George St. Toronto

HOME-SPUN HINTS.

After damp or frosty weather we found it impossible to raise our windows until I hit on the following plan: I put a tin box 1x2 inches, directly under the sash at one end. A tack held it in place. Now I use any piece of tin that will slightly raise sash. Knife blade is O.K.

The syrup in pies often causes them to stick to plate when cold. Try putting them on stove for half a minute, and you will save pie crust, time and patience.—Mrs. R.

EMBROIDERY HOOPS FOR PIES.

Keep three or four embroidery hoops in your kitchen to set hot pies, hot kettles, and frying pans on. They are excellent when one does not possess a zinc-covered table.

SAVING ON PILLOW SLIPS.

One of my neighbors finds that buying pillow tubing for pillow slips and turning them half round when they begin to show wear, she saves not only the cost of new ones but the time required to make them.

OYSTER SHORTCAKE FOR SUNDAY NIGHT TEA.

For an oyster shortcake make a rich, light, baking powder biscuit. Cut in large rounds. Bake quickly. While baking prepare the oysters by dressing with cream sauce, which must be plain or have added to it hard-boiled eggs run through the potato masher. Break the biscuit, butter generously, cover the bottom half with the oyster filling, put top on biscuit and more of the oyster over the whole. This is a very delectable method of preparing oysters and extends them economically.

TO REMOVE LABELS.

This simple method has proved efficacious for removing labels from trunks, bags, furniture, bottles, woodwork or other surfaces which cannot be immersed in water without injury. Thoroughly wet a piece of blotting paper large enough to cover the label and apply to the offending sticker for ten minutes. It may then be removed, and you will be pleased to find that it has left no trace of disfigurement upon the article to which it had adhered.

WOMEN! DYE FADED THINGS NEW AGAIN

Dye or Tint Any Worn, Shabby Garment or Drapery.

Diamond Dyes

Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose any color at drug store.

Discontent.

Contentment is a spiritual grace, and a very charming one. It is not produced by outward circumstances, as we are all well aware. You may have riches and luxury and friends and success and still be abominably discontented.

Some people are born contented. You see it when they are babies. They will coo and chatter and laugh over a self-invented toy or even a ray of sunshine when others whine with all the apparatus of cunning entertainment about them And the same disposition persists through life. Those contented persons instinctively make the best of things. If the sun shines, it is of course delightful. If it rains, well, somebody's garden probably needs a wetting It is natural that they should be contented in prosperity, but even adversity loses most of its annoyance when you do not recognize it as adversity. There are good points in poverty, in weakness, in age, in failure; and if you are naturally contented, you find them, even without taking any great pains to look for them.

On the other hand those contented people rarely get anywhere; that is, anywhere else than where they are. Why should they when where they are is good enough? It is discontent that makes the world go on, says a writer in Youth's Companion. Discontent is responsible for all our progress. If men had been everlastingly contented, they would still be eating acorns It was discontent that made wheels and window glass, made letters and arts and sciences, make the richness of the civilized world and its wonder and its beauty. It was discontent that educated us politically. It is the greatest of all magicians

But it should be wise discontent, intelligent, enlightened, not whimsical, querulous or restless. Charles Lamb had often the quintessence of wisdom as well as of pathos in his light and frolic thoughts. He summed up the whole business of discontent in the charming, paradoxical description of himself as "contented with little yet wishing for more."

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Tangled Trails

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CHAPTER XXXII.—(Cont'd.)

"If we could be sure she's all right. But we can't." Rose turned on him a wistful face, twisted by emotion. "I want to find her, Kirby. I'm her sister. She's all I've got. Can't you do something?"

"I'll try."

She noticed the hardening of the lean jaw, the tightening of the muscles as the back teeth clenched.

"Don't—don't do anything—rash," she begged.

Her hand rested lightly on his arm. Their eyes met. He smiled grimly.

"Don't worry. Mebbe I'll call you up later to-night and report progress."

He walked to the nearest drug-store and used the telephone freely. At the end of fifteen minutes he stepped out of the booth. His cousin Jack was doing some evening work at the offices where he was now in charge of settling up his uncle's affairs.

Kirby found him there. A man stenographer was putting on his coat to leave, but Jack was still at his desk. He looked up, annoyed.

"Was that you telephoned me?" he asked.

"Yes."

"I told you I'd let you know when I wanted to see you."

"So you did. But you didn't let me know. The shoe's on the other foot now. I want to see you."

"I'm not interested in anything you have to say."

The stenographer had gone. Kirby could hear his footsteps echoing down the corridor. He threw the catch of the lock and closed the door.

"I can promise to keep you interested," he said, very quietly.

Jack rose. He wore white shoes, duck trousers, a white pique shirt, and a blue serge coat that fitted his graceful figure perfectly. "What did you do that for?" he demanded. "Open that door!"

"Not just yet, Jack. I've come for a settlement. It's up to you to say what kind of a one it'll be."

Cunningham's dark eyes glittered. He was no physical coward. Moreover, he was a trained athlete, not long out of college. He had been the middleweight champion boxer of the university. If this tough brown cousin wanted a set-to, he would not have to ask twice for it.

"Suits me fine," he said. "What's your proposition?"

"I've been a blind idiot. Didn't see what was right before my eyes. I reckon you've had some laughs at me. Well, I hope you enjoyed 'em. There aren't any more grins comin' to you." Kirby spoke coldly, implacably, his voice grating like steel on steel.

"Meaning, in plain English?"

"That you've let a dead man's shoulders carry your sins. You heard us blame Uncle James for Esther McLean's trouble. An' you never said a word to set us right. Yet you're the man, you damned scoundrel!"

Jack went white to the lips, then flushed angrily. "You can't ever mind your own business, can you?"

"I want just two things from you. The first is, to know where you've taken her; the second, to tell you that you're goin' to make this right an' see that you do it."

"When you talk to me like that I've nothing to say. No man living can bully me."

"You won't come through. Is that it?"

"You may go to the devil for all of me."

Their stormy eyes clashed.

"The girl you took advantage of hasn't any brother," the Wyoming man said. "I'm electin' myself to that job for a while. If I can I'm goin' to whale the life outa you."

Jack slipped out of his coat and tossed it on the desk. Even in that moment, while Kirby was concentrating for the attack, the rough rider found time to regret that so good-looking a youth, one so gallantly poised and so gracefully graceless, should be a black-hearted scamp.

"Hop to it!" invited the college man. Under thick dark lashes his black eyes danced with excitement.

Kirby lashed out with his right, hard and straight. His cousin ducked with the easy grace of a man who has spent many hours on a ballroom floor. The cattleman struck again. Jack caught the blow and deflected it, at the same time uppercutting swiftly for the chin. The counter landed flush on Kirby's cheek and flung him back to the wall.

He grinned, and plunged again. A driving left caught him off balance and flung him from his feet. He was up again instantly, shaking his head to clear it of the dizziness that sang there.

It came to him that he must use his brains against this expert boxer or suffer a knockout. He must wear Jack out, let him spend his strength in attack, watch for the chance that was bound to come if he could weather the storm long enough.

Not at all loath, Jack took the offensive. He went to work coolly to put out his foe. He landed three for on timing and placing his blows carefully to get the maximum effect. A time Kirby hit the floor.

Jack hoped he would st The clubman was a little dition. He was beginning fast. His cousin had two or three times on t of each of these blows a punishing force. he had to win soo

But Kirby had tion of quitting. product of wind work. He bore more, still playi wind. Kirby k er man, in fa could afford not. He killed the boxer's attacks with deadly counter-blows, moving in and out lithely as a cat.

The rough rider landed close to the solar plexus. Jack winced and gave ground. Kirby's fist got home again. He crowded Jack, feeling that his man was weakening.

Jack rallied for one last desperate set-to, hoping for a chance blow to knock Kirby out. He scored a dozen times. Lane gave ground, slowly, watchfully, guarding as best he could.

Then his brown fist shot out and up. It moved scarcely six inches, straight for the college boxer's chin. Jack's knees sagged. He went down, rolled over, and lay still.

Kirby found water and brought it back. Jack was sitting up, his back propped against the wall. He swallowed a gulp or two and splashed the rest on his face.

"I'll say you can hit like the kick of a mule," he said. "If you'd been a reasonable human, I ought to have got you, at that. Won't you ever stay down?"

Kirby could not repress a little smile. In spite of himself he felt a sneaking admiration for this insouciant youth who could take a beating like a sportsman.

"You're some little mixer yourself," he said.

"Thought I was before I bumped into you. Say, gimme a hand up. I'm a bit groggy yet."

Kirby helped him to his feet. The immaculate shirt and trousers were spattered with blood, mostly Kirby's. The young dandy looked at himself, and a humorous quirk twitched at the corner of his mouth.

"Some scrap. Let's go into the lavatory and do some reconstruction work," he said.

Side by side at adjoining wash-bowls, perfecly amicable, they repaired as far as possible the damages of war. Not till they had put on again their coats did Kirby hark back to the purpose of the meeting.

"You haven't told me yet what I want to know."

Out of a damaged eye Jack looked at him evenly. "And that's only part of it. I'm not going to, either."

He had said the last word. Kirby could not begin all over again to thrash him. It was not reasonable. And if he did, he knew quite well he would get nothing out of the man. If he would not talk, he would not.

The bronco buster walked back to his hotel. A special delivery letter was in his box. It was post-marked Golden. As he handed it to him the clerk looked him over curiously. It had been some time since he had seen a face so badly cut up and swollen.

"You ought to see the other fellow," Kirby told him with a lopsided grin as he ripped open the envelope.

Before his eyes had traveled halfway down the sheet the cowman gave a modulated whoop of joy.

"Good news?" asked the clerk.

Kirby did not answer. His eyes were staring in blank astonishment at one sentence in the letter. The note was from Cole Sanborn. This is what Kirby read in it:

Well, old-timer, there ain't no trail so blamed long but what its got a turn in it somewheres. I done found Esther up Platte Canon and everythings OK as you might say. I reckon you are wondering howcome this to be postmarked Golden. Well, old pardner, I'm sure enough married at last but I had a great time getting Esther to see this my way. Shes one swell little girl and theres only one thing I hate. Before she would marry me I had to swear up and down I wouldn't touch the yellow wolf who got her into trouble. But she didn't say nothing about you so I will just slip you his name. It wasn't your uncle at all but that crooked oil broker nephew of his James Cunningham. If you can muss him up proper for me youll sure be doing a fav yours respectably, Cole

P.S. Esther sends bushels to Rose and will write to m say Im going to make her o kid.

Kirby laughed in sardonic m He had fought the wrong man.

It was James Cunningham, no Jack. And, of course, Jack had known it all the time and been embarrassed by it. He had stuck loyally to his brother and had taken the whaling of his life rather than betray him.

Kirby took off his hat to Jack. He had stood pat to a fighting finish. He was one good square sport.

Even as he was thinking this, Kirby was moving toward the telephone booth. He had promised to report progress. For once he had considerable to report.

(To be continued.)

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Canada from Coast to Coast

St. John, N.B.—From all indications, the potato shipments to Havana this season through the port of St. John will greatly exceed those of last year. To date there have been 750,-[illegible] bushels sent forward in twenty steamers, while from September 1, 1923, until January 31st, 1923, a total of 505,658 bushels were shipped in seventeen steamers.

Quebec, Que.—Announcement has been made by the Federal minister of agriculture that a new Dominion seed laboratory will be established here. The plant is practically ready for operation and seed samples for the Province of Quebec will be tested and [illegible]ed here under the Dominion Seeds [illegible].

[illegible]ort William, Ont.—Contract has [illegible]let by the Mutual Elevator Co. [illegible]he construction at the head of [illegible]kes of a grain storage elevator [illegible] a storage capacity of 1,500,000 [illegible] of grain. It will cost $1,000,-[illegible]ork will start in early spring, [illegible]pectations of having it ready [illegible]ber 1, 1924.

[illegible]nipeg, Man.—It has definitely [illegible]decided by the United Farmers [illegible]anitoba to establish a wheat pool. [illegible]e handling of Manitoba's 1924 [illegible] Incorporation will be sought by [illegible] act of the Legislative Assem-[illegible]y in session, and the pool will [illegible]ially known as the "Manitoba [illegible]perative Wheat Producers, Ltd." The contract, which has been adopted, is not radically different from the Alberta pool contract.

Regina, Sask.—The total grain crop of the Province of Saskatchewan in 1922 was over 458,000,000 bushels, of which 250,167,000 bushels were wheat. The total value of the province's field crops is estimated at $287,270,600. Adding livestock and other farm products the total agricultural value of the province in 1922 was $505,318,966.

Edmonton, Alta.—Alberta's butter production last year was 18,500,000 pounds, or 2,000,000 pounds more than in 1922, according to reports presented at the annual meeting of the Alberta Dairymen's Association.

Victoria, B.C.—The amount of timber scaled in the Province of British Columbia during 1923 was 2,542,280,-000 b.f.m., as compared with 1,899,-158,000 feet in 1922, an increase of 34 per cent., according to a statement made by the Hon. J. D. MacLean, Acting Minister of Lands for the province.

Dawson City, Y.T.—Referring to the rush now in progress from Mayo to the newly discovered silver regions of the Beaver River district in the Yukon Territory, W. E. Cockfield, of the Dominion Geological Survey, says silver lead ores have been discovered at many points, and with much of the area still unprospected there's chances that further discoveries will be made.

DIRECTING DESTINIES OF INDIA'S MILLIONS

Sir Sydney Oliver, left, the new secretary of state for India, is an exponent of the social equality of white, yellow and black races. He tried putting his theory into practice, as governor of Jamaica, and claims it was a success. The great experiment, it is understood, is about to be made in India. Will it work? On its success or failure depends the political condition of India's restless millions, who are bitter in their complaint at the way past governments have drawn the color line. Lord Reading, right, the present vicercy of India, is a Liberal in politics and in his policy as viceroy. There is every likelihood of the two clashing on matters of administration when socialist methods are applied in dealing with oriental radicals.

PLANS AFOOT TO AMEND U.S. CONSTITUTION

Resolution Introduced in Congress to Effect Quicker Changes in Administration.

A despatch from Washington says:—Plans to amend the constitution in order to bring about quicker changes in Administration after the voters have spoken and to eliminate "lame duck" control of legislation and of the executive branch of the Government, were seriously undertaken in the House on Thursday.

The White resolution introduced by Representative White, proposing such an amendment to the constitution, was favorably acted upon by the committee on the election of President and Vice-president.

The resolution provides that the President and Vice-president shall begin their terms at noon, January 24, while the terms of Senators and representatives shall begin on January 4.

The resolution contains another provision concerning the selection of a President in the event neither a President nor a Vice-president shall have been chosen by House or Senate, respectively, whenever the election shall have gone to the Congress. This latter provision applies to a situation which it is considered might possibly arise under the present political circumstance relative to the election of the next President and Vice-president. Under the constitution the House elects the President, while the Senate elects the Vice-president under the proposed amendment. In the event the House does not elect within the time given, the Vice-president is to serve as President "until the House shall have elected," and if the Vice-president has not been chosen the Congress shall specify who shall serve with the President until the election occurs.

Five Hundred Canadian Books Sent to Empire Exhibition

A despatch from Toronto says:—Dr. George H. Locke, Chief Lib-[illegible]an in Toronto, has been asked to [illegible] the Canadian literature exhibit [illegible] shown at the British Empire [illegible]tion this coming summer in [illegible]don, England. Dr. Docke has [illegible]tarted in on his task and hopes to have the exhibits chosen and well on their way to the Old Land in a fortnight.

Dr. Locke has been asked to do this by the Canadian Authors' Association and expects to collect altogether about 500 works in Canadian literature, exclusive of books and writings in French.

A [illegible] preliminary list has been

Prince Erik of Denmark

Who married Miss Lois Booth of Ottawa, grand-daughter of J. R. Booth, millionaire lumberman. The bridegroom is a son of H.R.H. Prince Valdemar, brother of Queen Alexandria of England.

HOPE TO PHOTOGRAPH EVEREST SUMMIT

Third Himalayan Expedition to be Presented in Films by Experienced Cameramen.

A despatch from London says:—Elaborate preparations have been made to take cinematograph pictures of the third expedition to climb Mount Everest, which is soon leaving this country. Captain J. B. L. Noel, F.R.G.S., who was responsible for the film of the second expedition, shown last year, is again in charge of this side of the undertaking.

He and his party are taking fourteen cameras of all kinds and sizes, and he hopes this year to be able to photograph every phase of the expedition, and, if success crowns the efforts of its members, to take the first pictures of the summit itself.

A number of pictures are to be taken by a new process of color cinematography invented by Freise Green. This is said to be not only comparatively simple, but commercially feasible, as the cost is only slightly in excess of that of the normal process.

Canada's fisheries production during 1923 is estimated to be worth $40,000,000. At the beginning of the year it was not thought that anything like this mark would be reached, for the Fordney tariff had cut deeply into exports to the United States. But as the year wore on the demand and prices generally improved, thus giving fishermen along the Atlantic coast especially a much better price.

DENY BRITAIN'S RIGHT TO CONTROL ADVANCE

Speakers in National Assembly of India Question Good Faith of Labor Government.

A despatch from Delhi says:—The radical views of India's right to Home Rule, expressed on the first day of the National Assembly, were eclipsed on Friday during the debate of the Swarajist motion. Mr. Patel intervened with a speech clarifying the issues. Wrapping his Khaddar Indian-made shawl more closely round his tall, grey-bearded and rugged figure, Patel, speaking clearly, but without pretence to oratory, denied the right of the British Parliament to determine the time or manner of India's constitutional advance. Moreover, he specially questioned the good faith of the new Labor Government, members of which, Col. Wedgwood and Mr. Spoor, six years ago, had supported the extreme demands of Congress. In reply to Sir Malcolm Hailey's challenge, Mr. Patel declared that he expected the Swaraj Government would be guarded from foreign invasion by gallant British officers and British soldiers, serving under its control.

The most significant point in his speech, however, was his declaration that the proposed conference for the revision of the constitution would be incomplete without the presence of Gandhi, and Ali Brothers, and other revolutionaries. This possibly places Motilal Nehru in a difficult position, for it vitiates his efforts to maintain a reasonable constitutional character for the proposal for a round-table conference. This was shown by his attempts to move closure, but the chair held the debate must go on, and certain Swarajists were also unwilling to agree to its premature cessation. It had therefore been adjourned until Monday.

The effect of Mr. Patel's speech was enhanced by the intervention of two young Swarajists, both Oxford-trained. Mr. Chamanlal, Punjab, and Mr. Goswami, Bengal. Chamanlal, with excellent delivery, poured out red revolution in the approved Hyde Park manner. Goswami, less polished oratorically, but more academic, took the same line, pleading for a brotherhood of the proletariat and describing the Indian States as picturesque, mediaeval relics.

Effort to Stamp Out Epidemic Cost $14,000,000

A despatch from London says:—The gross amount of money paid to farmers in the United Kingdom by way of compensation for animals destroyed by the authorities in the effort to stamp out the foot and mouth epidemic is estimated at £2,803,000. A statement to this effect was made in the House of Commons on Thursday in answer to a question.

We are living in an extraordinary rush of discovery in physical science. —Sir Oliver Lodge.

The Will to Live.

All round about us are tired and discouraged souls confronted by problems which nothing that is read in a book or heard from a pulpit seems to reach fast to dispel. Doctors, lawyers, ministers, writers do the best they can to imagine the plight of the lonely and distraught and to administer the prescription. Frequently there is success, and the condition of those who come in quest of comfort is alleviated, if not healed. The chief joy of a man in a calling that brings him into contact with human woe and need—such a calling as that of medicine or the ministry—is to know the good he has done, which is the reward superior to any payment that can be made in money.

Besides such professional aid as may be received from those who are consulted in doctor's office or minister's study—or even between the pages of a noble book—there is the incalculable help to be found in the tender sympathies of friendship. A man may be rich in friends and little else; and he is never poor while he can go to a few and divulge the contents of his mind with no fear of misinterpretation.

Yet with all the assistance to live that may come from the science of professional men or the affectionate concern of those who personally care for us and want to further our designs, there must be—in the last analysis—the strength of will on a man's own part to live his life, to face his duty and his destiny, to make the best of things with a high courage that never recognizes defeat and never will haul down the flag in surrender.

We think we suffer alone because we know so little of the lives of all the rest. Nature has no pets. Fate plays no favorites. It only seems so because of our ignorance. The cross that we have we are aware of; but we cannot feel the weight that millions of others are bearing.

Look about you, and the brave, the tranquil, the cheerful whom you see are likely to be the very ones who have come out of great tribulation or at this very moment are passing through the valley of the shadow. The solace and the strength they bestow are theirs to give because whatever life brought they faced in an unconquerable spirit. They made up their minds to meet life "adequate, erect, with will to choose or to reject." Out of their very failures are built the foundations of the ultimate victory which depends not on a blind hazard of fortune but on a man's indomitable will.

British immigration during the nine months ended December totalled 64,-127, compared with 28,525 in the corresponding period of the previous year, an increase of 125 per cent. Immigration from the United States was 17,282, compared with 18,982, a decrease of nine per cent. Total immigration for the nine-month period of 1923 was 124,680, compared with 60,247 in the same period in the previous year, an increase of 107 per cent.

Weekly Market Report

TORONTO.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.13¾.

Manitoba oats—No. 3 CW, 46¼c; No. 1 feed, 45¼c.

Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above, bay ports.

Ontario barley—65 to 70c.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, 98¼c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 76 to 80c.

Ontario rye—No. 3, 75 to 79c.

Peas—No. 2, $1.45 to $1.50.

Millfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, $28; shorts, per ton, $30; middlings, $36; good feed flour, $2.10.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, 98c to $1.02, outside.

Ontario No. 2 white oats—41 to 43c.

Ontario corn—Nominal.

Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, $4.70; Toronto basis, $4.70; bulk seaboard, $4.35.

Manitoba flour—1st pats., in jute sacks, $6.30 per barrel; 2nd pats., $5.80.

Hay—Extra No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, $14.50; to $15; No. 2, $14.50; No. 3, $12.50 to $13; mixed, $12.50.

Straw—Carlots, per ton, $9.50.

Standard recleaned screenings, f.o.b. bay ports, per ton, $20.

Cheese—New, large, 20 to 21c; twins, 21 to 22c; triplets, 21½ to 22½c; Stiltons, 23c. Old, large, 27 to 29c; twins, 28 to 30c; triplets, 30c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 46 to 47c; No. 1 creamery, 43 to 45c; No. 2, 42 to 43c.

Eggs—Extras, fresh, in cartons, 58 to 59c; fresh extras, loose, 55 to 56c; fresh firsts, 53 to 55c; extras, storage, in cartons, 46 to 47c; extras, 44 to 45c; firsts, 39 to 40c; seconds, 32 to 34c.

Live poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 28c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 23c; hens, over 5 lbs., 22c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 15c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 19c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 18c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 22c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 30c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 25c; hens, over 5 lbs., 28c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18c; roosters, 18c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 24c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 28 to 32c; geese, 22c.

Beans—Can. handpicked, lb., 7c; primes, 6½c.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., $2.50; per 5-gal. tin, $2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25c.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 11 to 11½c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12c; 5-lb. tins, 11½ to 12c; 2½-lb. tins, 12½ to 13c; comb honey, per doz., No. 1, $3.75 to $4; No. 2, $3.25 to $3.50.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 25 to 27c; cooked hams, 36 to 37c; smoked rolls, 19 to 21c; cottage rolls, 22 to 24c; breakfast bacon, 25 to 27c; special brand breakfast bacon, 30 to 33c; backs, boneless, 30 to 35c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., $18.50; 70 to 90 lbs., $18; 90 lbs. and up, $17; lightweight rolls, in barrels, $37; heavyweight rolls, $32.

Lard—Pure tierces, 15¼ to 16c; tubs, 16 to 16½c; pails, 16½ to 17c; prints, 18 to 19c; shortening, tierces, 14¼ to 14¾c; tubs, 14 to 15c; pails, 15 to 15½c; prints, 17 to 17½c.

Heavy steers, choice, $7 to $8; butcher steers, choice, $6.25 to $7; do, good, $5.75 to $6; do, med., $4.75 to $5; do, com., $4.25 to $4.50; butcher heifers, choice, $6 to $6.75; do, med., $4.75 to $5.25; do, com., $4.50 to $5; butcher cows, choice, $4.75 to $5; do, medium, $3.50 to $4.00; canners and cutters, $1.25 to $2.00; butcher bulls, choice, $4.25 to $5.25; do, com., $2 to $3; feeding steers, good, $5.50 to $6.50; do, fair, $4 to $5; stockers, good, $4 to $4.75; do, fair, $3.50 to $4; milkers and springers, $70 to $100; calves, choice, $11 to $12; do, med., $8 to $10; do, com., $5 to $7; do, grassers, $3 to $4.50; lambs, choice ewes, $14 to $15; do, bucks, $10.50 to $12; do, culls, $7 to $8; sheep, light ewes, $7.50 to $8; do, fat, heavy, $4 to $4.50; do, culls, $2 to $3; hogs, fed and watered, $7.50 to $7.75; do, f.o.b., $7 to $7.25; do, country points, $6.75 to $7; do, selects, $8.25 to $8.50.

MONTREAL.

Oats—Can. West., No. 2, 55 to 55½c; do, No. 3, 53½ to 54c; extra No. 1 feed, 52½ to 53c; No. 2 local white, 50½ to 51c. Flour—Man. spring wheat pats., 1sts, $6.30; do, 2nds, $5.80; strong bakers, $5.60; winter pats., choice, $5.65 to $5.75. Rolled oats—Bag of 90 lbs., $2.90. Bran—$28.25. Shorts—$30.25. Middlings—$36.25. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lot, $16.

Cheese—Finest easterns, 42 to 42½c. Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 41½ to 41¾c; No. 1 creamery, 40½ to 41c; seconds, 44c. Eggs—Fresh specials, 55c; fresh extras, 52c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.35 to $1.40.

Com. to med. quality veal calves, $8 to $8.50; hogs, thick smooths and shops, $8 to $8.25; select bacon hogs, $8.75.

Both MacDonald and Baldwin Have Socialistic Sons

A despatch from London says:—Both the present and the former premiers of Great Britain have Socialist sons. Macdonald's son, Malcolm, who is about to obtain his degree in economics at Oxford, is preparing for a journalistic career. He contested a seat at the last election and did well, but he expects to have an easier division at the next election, and will be returned, he hopes, as a Labor member along with Arthur Henderson's two sons, who are sitting in the present house.

Ex-Premier Baldwin's son is a radical and Socialist, but he has not as yet made any plans to get a seat in Parliament, being satisfied to speak his opposition to the policy of the party of which his father is the leader. Baldwin and his son are the closest of chums.

Fifty-two Years' Service in Royal Household

A despatch from London says:—Sir Dighton Probyn, V.C., comptroller to Queen Alexandra since 1910, had his 91st birthday the other day. The anniversary found him in excellent health and on the job at Sandringham, in his fifty-second years' service with the royal family.

Sir Dighton, who served in the Indian mutiny, won the Victoria Cross at Agra. He joined the household of Edward VII. when the latter was Prince of Wales, in 1872, and has faithfully served the royal family in varying capacities ever since. His flowing white beard makes him a picturesque figure. Each Sunday he drives a pony chaise to Sandringham Church to open the door of the private entrance and conduct the royal worshippers to their pews in the chancel.

CHEAP AND QUICK WAY TO OBTAIN INSULIN

British Scientists Use Water Instead of Alcohol With Results in Two Days.

A despatch from London says:—Very great interest has been aroused by an announcement of a new method preparing insulin without the use of alcohol. The discoverer of this method is Dr. E. C. Dodds, chemical pathologist to Middlesex Hospital, and in the current number of the Lancet he and F. Dickens, assistant in the biochemistry department of the hospital, make a preliminary communication of the subject.

Whilst the old method required costly alcohol and the process took eight days, it is claimed that Dr. Dodds' method requires only water and two days for the process.

Insulin prepared by the new method, so far has been used on four cases of diabetes, and found quite satisfactory.

The authors acknowledge their indebtedness to the Medical Research Council, and especially to Doctors Dale and Dudley. The discovery is placed freely at the service of mankind.

Third of London's Population Travels Daily to City

A despatch from London says:—There is a veritable romance of figures revealed in the latest Blue Book published by the Registrar General's department. London's population is somewhere in the region of 7,000,000 and the Blue Book's analysis of the figures shows that at least a third of this number—more than 2,000,000—move every day either in or out of that ancient bailiwick still known as the City of London.

The City is the ancient municipality in the centre of the London metropolitan area. It has its own municipal organization and is entirely independent of Greater London. But it is the heart of the business and financial systems of the British Empire.

It has a daytime or working population of 416,150, whereas at night it contains only 13,709, of whom a large number are watchmen who guard with vigilance the great business and financial interests there gathered.

Denmark in Grip of Arctic Temperature

A despatch from Copenhagen says:—Denmark has never experienced such a terrific winter as at present. It is continuously below 1[illegible] (10 degrees Fahrenh[illegible] past three months the [illegible] the Danish archipelag[illegible] closed to communication wi[illegible] The sea communication wi[illegible] also is frequently suspend[illegible]

Of the world's estimate[illegible] forty-two tons of diamon[illegible] than three-fourths have be[illegible] from African mines in th[illegible] years.

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Growing More Oats By Sowing the O. A. C. No. 72.

Larger Yields and Better Quality—A Great Prize Winner—A Triumph for the Agricultural College—A New Hybrid Field Pea.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The O.A.C. No. 72 oat has, during the short period of its existence, added greatly to the total grain production of Canada. Its multiplication during future years will undoubtedly add many millions to the agricultural wealth of the province.

Derived From the Siberian.

The O.A.C. No. 72 was derived from the Siberian. In 1903 a large nursery plot in the experimental grounds at the Ontario Agricultural College, containing 10,000 seeds planted by hand at equal distances apart, produced several plants of remarkable vigor. One of these selected plants was the parent of the O.A.C. No. 72.

The success of the O.A.C. No. 72 has been measured side by side with that of the Banner, which, previous to the general distribution of the O.A.C. No. 72, was the most popular oat grown in Ontario.

Yield and Quality Compared.

For sixteen years in succession the O.A.C. No. 72 and the Banner varieties of oats, have been included in the experiments at the College, and the following table gives the average results in maturity, in percentage of hull and in yield of both straw and grain per acre:

	O.A.C. No. 72	Banner
Percentage of hull..	28.5	30.3
Tons of straw per acre	2.2	2.1
Bushels grain " "	83.23	73.58

In these experiments the O. A. C. No. 72 in comparison with the Banner has a thinner hull in each of fourteen and a greater yield per acre in each of twelve out of sixteen years. Each variety required on an average one hundred and ten days to mature.

Remarkable Growth in Popularity.

In 1911 the O.A.C. No. 72 variety of oats was distributed throughout Ontario in connection with co-operative experiments which were being carried out through the medium of the Experimental Union. Without a single exception this new variety of oat has given a higher average yield per acre than any other variety used in co-operative tests conducted by farmers in each of the past eleven years. The O.A.C. No. 72 soon made a record for itself, and was increased rapidly from the pound lots used in the tests conducted on the individual farms. In the last seven years, of the 990 first prizes which were awarded to fields of standing oats in connection with the Field Crop Competitions throughout Ontario, the O.A.C. No. 72 received 521, the Banner 220, and all other varieties combined 249.

A Consistent Prize Winner.

In the competitions of threshed grain at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto; at the Central Canada Exhibition, Ottawa; at the Provincial Winter Fair, Guelph; and at the Ottawa Winter Fair, the O.A.C. No. 72 received 72 and the Banner 41 prizes in the last four years, the O.A.C. No. 72 surpassing the Banner in awards from fifty to one hundred per cent. at each of these exhibitions. This is a remarkable record, twenty years from single seed to the present day millions. The benefit that Ontario is deriving from the development of the O.A.C. No. 72 will pay many times the entire cost of the Agricultural College.—Dept. of Extension, O.A. College, Guelph.

A New Hybrid Field Pea.

The market value of Ontario's field peas amounts to about four million dollars annually.

The O.A.C. No. 181 variety of field peas was originated at Guelph by crossing the Prussian Blue and the White Wonder. It is a small, smooth, white pea of good quality and appearance.

Of all the leading varieties of field peas tested at the Ontario Agricultural College, the O.A.C. No. 181 has given the highest average yield of grain per acre. In the past five years' results, the first, second, third and fifth highest yields were produced by new varieties originated at the College through cross-fertilization. In the tests with other varieties, the O.A.C. No. 181 was early, reaching maturity in 99 days, and the straw was the freest from blight and grew to an average length of 45 inches. The peas gave an average weight of 62.8 pounds per measured bushel.

This new variety of field peas was successfully tested in the co-operative experiments on fifty farms throughout Ontario in the past two years. The following was the average yield in bushels per acre per annum of each of the four varieties tested in this way by the practical growers: O.A.C. No. 181, 26.9; Early Britain, 24.4; Potter, 24.3; and Canadian Beauty, 23-1.—Dept. of Extension, O.A. College, Guelph.

How to Control Root Maggots.

The cabbage maggot can be controlled by treatment, early in the season, with a solution of an ounce of corrosive sublimate in 10 gallons of water, applied to the stems and roots of each plant twice or three times at intervals of a week, using an ordinary watering can with the rose removed and the spout reduced to a convenient form to make the application. Onion maggots can be controlled by the use of a poisoned bait, consisting of one-quarter to one-half an ounce of sodium arsenate dissolved in a gallon of boiling water, with a pint of molasses added.

Crop rotation and diversification are sound forms of insurance for the farmer.

MILLBRIGDE

Lumbering is the order of the day looks like all the lumber men will get there logs out considering the mild weather we had.

Mrs. Charlie Henderson is improving slowly after her illness, hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. F. Brown called on Mrs. James Hautton one day this week.

Mr. Henry Tutting has left for foreign parts unkown.

The dance held in the town was a great success and the music was grand.

Mrs. Ed. Ray is home over the week end.

Sorry to here that Mr. Bert Smut is not feeling well these days.

Mr. Wm. Dalton is getting out his pulpwood at the old homestead.

Glad to hear Mrs. John Morrison is improving slowly.

Miss Blanche Donaldson is cooking in the woods for her father.

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SCOTCH SETTLEMENT

Mrs. J. Fox, of Belleville, is renewing friends around here.

A few from here took in the Valentine party at Bethesda Thursday night given by the L. A.

Miss Blanche Ashe is visiting Miss Gladys Fean at O'Hara's.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire and Patricia spent Friday at Mr. H. Williamsons of Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland and Mildred called at Mr. J. Mohar's Wednesday night.

Mr. Elisha Ashe had a bee hawling logs Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Woods spent a few days last week in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McGuire and Hazel took tea at Mr. Wellesley Hollands Thursday.

Mr. Ross Holland has moved to Stirling.

TO RUN A NEWSPAPER

To run a newspaper all a fellow has to do is to be able to write poems, discuss the tariff and money questions, umpire a baseball game, report a wedding, saw wood, describe a fire so that the readers will shed their wraps, make $1 do the work of $10, shine at a dance, measure calico, abuse the liquor habit, test whiskey, subscribe to charity, go without meals, attack free silver, wear diamonds invent advertisements, sneer at snobbery, overlook scandal, appraise babies, delight potato raisers, minister, to the afflicted, heal the disgruntled, fight to a finish, set type, mould public opinion, sweep out the office, speak at prayer meeting, and stand in with everybody and everything.

FOUR YEARS AGO PLUS ONE DAY!

Four years ago something happened and the law remembered it. It was on February 14th, 1920, at Coe Hill, two gallons of liquor was stolen. On February 15th, 1924, came the end of the case in Trenton police court.

Arthur Ralph and Thomas Sunderland were brought before Magistrate O'Rourke recently charged with the theft. One fought the case and was convicted and the other changed his plea to one of guilty.

They both were given their liberty on signing bonds and making restitution.

Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan, of Belleville, prosecuted.—Belleville Ontario.

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CO-OPERATE ON EX OF SELECTED IMM

Ottawa, Feb. 5—Policie just been adopted for transportation and colon British immigrants as out Hon. James Robb, Minister o gration and Colonization, include agreement for co-operation with t British Government in contributing to the transportation expenses of selected imigrants by means of a loan in the case of adults and of an outright grant in the case of children.

Announcement is also made that a land settlement branch has been organized as the colonization arm of the Department of Immigration and Colonization to ensure that new settlers will be directed to lands where they can have the best opportunities for success, and to safeguard them from exploitation in the purchase price of farms which they buy.

Provision is made for enlarging the scope of the nominated passage arrangement for the benefit of residents in Canada not personally acquainted with persons whom they wish to nominate.

25 trees, ten feet apart, on Hastings' main street, bear the names of the boys of that place who fell in the Great War. The trees were planted three years ago under I. O. D. E. auspices and on Saturday arrangements were made for the unveiling of a monument which with the trees will complete Hastings tribute to its sons.

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A woman will usually admire one thing about a car and a man another, but there is one feature of the new Type-B Sedan which both admire equally and emphatically—its exceptional driving ease.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. G. Wannamaker and Mrs. P. Embury spent Saturday in Belleville.

Miss Helen Bouck is visiting her friend, Miss Mary Maynes, in Plainfield.

Mr. Fraser, of Odessa, is the guest of his son, Dr. Grant Fraser, in town.

House rent is so high now, it is odd that people don't stay at home to get their money's worth.

Mr. R. P. Wellman and son Earl, spent last week in Belleville, the guests of the former's parents.

Mrs. Gilbert Wannamaker of Eldorado, has been the guest of Mrs. Parker Embury for a few days this week.

The same discount of 18 to 25% still continues at the Ludbrook Shoe Store, until February 23 on all lines of heavy rubbers, galoshes, slippers, mackinaw sox, mitts, felt boots, and overshoes. This is your opportunity

QUEENSBORO

Mrs. Thos. Leslie, of Roslin has been a welcome visitor to her old home town, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Leslie and renewing acquaintance with former Queensboro friends for a fortnight.

Mrs. Wm. Martin has returned from spending a few weeks with her daughter in Ottawa.

Mr. Wm. M. Delyea is visiting relatives in Belleville and Napanee.

Mrs. T. Moore has returned from a visit to friends in Trenton.

Mr. John Nicol, Gilmour, spent a few days in town last week on his way to Toronto.

Mrs. W. H. Kells and Mr. E. Kells spent the week end with Mrs. McCaw.

Mrs. R. A. Sager and Miss Jennie Sager went to Bancroft last Friday for a few days.

Miss Emma Lynn Belleville, is spending her holidays at home.

Mrs. C. Fox, Belleville, was in town for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett, Roslin spent the week end with Mrs. B. Leslie.

Mr. Robert O'Riordan has purchased the residence of Mrs. John McCoy, on St. Lawrence street.

Mr. Alex Robertson, has moved his shop from the Reid block to the store recently occupied by Mr. D A. Moorcroft.

—Play entitled: "Martha Made Over," at Hazzard's Orange Hall on Friday evening, February 22nd. Proceeds in aid of the W. M. S. Admission 35 cents.

Mr. Wood, Fuller Brush representative, spent last week in Belleville. Mrs. Wood has been operated on in Belleville Hospital, but is now recovering.

—Be sure and reserve March 4th, for play "Martha made over" presented under the auspices of Rebekah Lodge—at Masonic Hall, Madoc. Prices 35c and 25c. Plan at Maybee's store. 8-2

Be sure and see the large display of sale goods at the Ludbrook Shoe Store, and every article has the greatly reduced price marked on it.

Even editors make slips sometimes An exchange announces that 'Owing to a big rush of job printing and for lack of space a number of births and deaths will be postponed until next week."

—Progressive Euchre, under the auspices of Oakdale Rebekah Lodge, No. 134, will be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 21st, in the I.O.O.F. Hall. Admission 25c. All Rebekahs please bring refreshments.

NOTICE

Electric Light Rates for January and February now due Please call and settle.

A. S. Cochran, Collector

GROWING SUDAN GRASS

Experimental Results at Ontario Agricultural College.

Average Yields for Five Years For Green Crop and for Hay—How It Compares With Millet and Sorghum—A Good Emergency Crop—About Alfalfa.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

This forage plant, which belongs to the sorghum family, and is one of the finest in leaf and stalk of this group of plants, was introduced into the United States from Africa in 1909. During the last ten years it has obtained considerable prominence in the South-western States, and more recently has been advertised and sold by seedsmen in Ontario, and also grown by a few farmers in the Province.

Sudan Grass has been under test in the experiments at Guelph for the past eight years. During this time it has been grown for its total green fodder yield, for hay, for seed and for pasture.

Average Yields for Five Years.

The following table gives the average yield for five years of green fodder and of hay per acre of this crop and of three types of Millett, Mand's Wonder Forage Plant and Early Amber Sugar Sorghum:

Varieties	Green Crop Tons	Hay Tons
Early Amber Sugar Sorghum	16.92	8.19
Mand's Wonder Forage Plant...	13.15	5.22
Japanese Panicle Millet	10.43	4.41
Japanese Barnyard Millet	11.23	4.33
Sudan Grass	8.90	3.69
Siberian Millet No. 71	8.52	3.55

For the results of this experiment the plots were all sown broadcast.

It will be seen that in yield of green fodder and of hay per acre the Sudan Grass was surpassed by five of the six crops included in the test. The quality of hay made from Sudan Grass was superior to that made from Early Amber Sugar Sorghum and Mand's Wonder Forage Plant, and slightly inferior to that made from the three Millets. This and other experiments indicate that Sudan Grass, although it yields somewhat less per acre, makes a better quality of hay than any of the other eight classes of sorghums which we have had under test.

In the average of two years' tests in which Sudan Grass was grown for seed production in comparison with three varieties of millet, teff grass and early amber sugar sorghum, the Sudan Grass weighed 38.1 pounds per measured bushel, yielded 4.52 tons of straw and 96.7 pounds of grain per acre. This was a smaller yield of grain than that produced by the early amber sugar sorghum and three different varieties of millet.

In pasture experiments at Guelph, Sudan Grass has stood the hot, dry summers very well. Sowing a mixture of six pecks of O.A.C. No. 72 Oats and 15 pounds of Sudan Grass seed per acre produced a greater amount of pasture than when Sudan Grass was sown alone.

Must Be Sown on Warm Soil.

Our experience with Sudan Grass leads us to believe that the plant is more subject to injury by late frosts in the spring than the average variety of dent corn. In drouth resistance it is the equal; if not the superior, of Indian corn. It is essential in sowing Sudan Grass that it be not sown until the soil is warm. We have had the best results from sowing this crop just after the corn has been seeded. When sown for hay or pasture, Sudan Grass is usually sown broadcast or in close drills. 25 to 30 pounds per acre should be sown when Sudan Grass is sown alone, and when used in mixtures for pasture about 15 pounds per acre is sown. Sudan Grass should be cut for hay when the heads are in full bloom, and may be cured in much the same manner as timothy. This crop has been little grown for silage either in the United States or Canada. The reasons for this being that it is a better hay and pasture than a silage plant and that Indian corn is a larger yielder of silage than Sudan Grass.

We have had different classes of sorghum under experiment at Guelph for twenty-eight years, and Sudan Grass for the past eight years. Up to the present time we have had no trouble from sorghum poisoning in the feeding of Sudan Grass or the other sorghums to stock.

Worth Trying as a Pasture Crop.

From the experimental evidence at hand, it would seem that Sudan Grass has shown sufficient promise to warrant its trial in a limited way for pasture, and as an emergency hay crop on the warmer soil of Southern and South-western Ontario, and in favored areas even farther north. Sudan Grass has been included in the co-operative experimental tests in each of the past four years, and will be distributed again in the spring of 1924. Any farmer in Ontario, therefore, who desires to test this plant under his own conditions may have an opportunity of doing so.—W. J. Squirrell, O.A. College, Guelph.

Ontario Variegated and Grimm Alfalfas.

Ontario Variegated is not a Grimm alfalfa. [illegible] seed of the former was [illegible] in 1871 and [illegible] Welland County [illegible] tury. The Grimm [illegible] from Baden, [illegible] Grimm and [illegible] County, Minne- [illegible] this type of al- [illegible] since that time. [illegible] variegated flow- [illegible] some charac-

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The amount of moisture required in an incubator depends upon the make and the room. Generally it is best to follow the manufacturer's directions.

Hatching by the Natural Method.

Setting the hen—It is generally agreed that, in order to secure a good hatch, the hen must be placed where other hens are not likely to disturb her; for, as a rule, we seldom get good hatches when other hens lay in the nest with the sitter. Some farmers do not set a hen until one becomes broody on a nest where no others lay, which often necessitates late chicks. The difficulty can be overcome by making a new nest for the broody hen. A box about twelve inches square and six inches deep; some earth, or an overturned sod in the bottom, with care to have the corners very full so that no eggs can roll out from the hen and get chilled; next, about two inches of straw or chaff, and then a few earthen eggs put into the nest. The nest should be placed in some pen where nothing can disturb the hen, and put her on after dark. Feed and water must be within easy reach, and a dust bath should also be convenient. If the hen is sitting quiet the next day, you will be safe in putting the eggs under her. In our experience we get ninety per cent. of the hens to sit by following this method.

It should be remembered that the hen will be in better condition if dusted with insect powder when set, and also a few days before the hatch comes off. This will usually keep the lice in check, especially if some tansy or mint leaves are used in making the nest.

Selection of Eggs.

Select for color, size and shape, the kind of eggs you want for market. Continuous selection, year after year, will give results. Do not select dirty eggs, nor do not handle eggs unless your hands are clean. The shell is porous, hence there is possible contamination.

Eggs deteriorate in hatching quality with age. When you hold eggs for hatching keep them in a cool place about fifty to sixty degrees Fahrenheit. Be sure the place is clean and not musty. Eggs for hatching should be kept not longer than ten days.

The eggs from late hatched pullets, or immature birds, seldom hatch as well as eggs from mature birds. Our best hatching eggs have been produced from early hatched pullets that laid well in the early winter and then went through a partial moult. The pullets hatched in early February have, the following spring, produced remarkably good eggs for hatching. Heavy breed pullets hatched in May have produced the poorest hatching eggs.

Eggs from birds out of condition, whether from feeding, housing, or management, produce eggs difficult to hatch. It is also true that the hatching power of eggs in a day or two will vary, the cause of which at times is difficult to locate.

POTATO INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION.

Although potato inspection and certification has rapidly increased in scope and usefulness since its inception in Canada in 1915, there are naturally many potato growers throughout the country to whose attention it has not yet been drawn. It is therefore desired at this time briefly to enumerate the aims of the work and the methods followed, in order that all growers interested in the production of seed potatoes reasonably free from disease may be kept informed with regard to this phase of agricultural activity and, if they desire to do so, make application for an inspection of their fields during the coming season.

The aims of the above work are:

(1.) To encourage the greater production of seed potatoes free from disease.

(2.) To make known to the growers the various diseases affecting potatoes, their economic importance, and accepted methods for their control.

(3.) To recommend to the growers, in the event of a change of seed being found necessary, sources of disease-free seed potatoes, thus gradually eliminating undesirable stock.

(4.) To assist the growers whose stock upon inspection is found to measure up to the standards set, in securing favorable prices for their seed, by the issuance of official certificates vouching for its quality.

The methods applied in carrying out inspection and certification of potatoes are as follows:

(a) The fields are inspected at blossoming time, and again about a month subsequently, in order to ascertain what diseases (if any) affecting the growing plants, are present.

(b) Failure of any fields to measure up to the standards set for these two inspections disqualifies them for any further consideration for seed purposes.

(c) The crops of fields which pass the two field inspections are inspected at harvest time, or subsequently, and if found reasonably free from disease affecting the tubers, are passed as worthy of certification as Extra No. 1 seed potatoes.

(d) A final inspection is made—if so requested by the grower—of all such crops when sold, and a certification tag attached by the inspector to every bag at the time of shipment. These tags are issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture and all bear the official seal of the Plant Disease Inspection Service. This seal ensures the validity of any tag upon which it appears, and should be looked for by all purchasers desiring to secure bona-fide Extra No. 1 certified seed potatoes.

All growers of potatoes intended for seed purposes, who have not yet received a practical demonstration of the work and who desire to have their fields inspected during 1923 are urged to communicate with the Dominion Botanist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, as early in the season as possible in order that arrangements may be made in good time to meet their requirements.

Advancement in Butter Making.

Results in 1923 of the butter-scoring contest conducted for the past five years by the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, from May to October in each year, show that butter-making in Canada has greatly improved. The scoring by the provinces was very close, ranging from 53.68 by Ontario to 54.85 by Quebec out of 55 possible points. Manitoba tied for second place with Nova Scotia, with 54.80 each; British Columbia was fourth with 54.68; New Brunswick fifth with 54.50; Prince Edward Island sixth with 54.46; Saskatchewan seventh with 54.38, and Alberta eighth with 54.25.

No use to go down in the back lot and holler about the good things you have to sell. Get out where men will hear you. Put it in the paper.

Southern Italy exported last year $11,800,000 worth of almonds. In that country certain varieties are picked green and eaten as fruit. The husk is removed and the soft green shell and kernel are eaten with salt.

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Starting Plants Indoors.

Plants may easily be started in the house by using a "flat" or an old soap box. The box should be three or four inches deep, should have holes in the bottom to permit drainage, and should be small enough so that it can easily be handled when filled with soil.

Fill the box to within one-half inch of the top with fine loam, then firm the soil and have it perfectly level and free from stones, sticks or lumps before seed-planting. Mark the rows with a straight stick that is as long as the box is wide, making the rows about one-fourth of an inch deep and two inches apart.

The seed should be covered very lightly, and they should not be over-watered, as that causes weak plants. Place the box near a window, preferbaly on the south side of the house, and turn the box every two or three days so that plants will get equal amounts of sunlight from all sides.

The time of planting the seeds depends upon the approximate date of transplanting to the garden. Lettuce or cabbage can be set out of doors very early and therefore can be started before tomatoes or peppers. As soon as the plants seem crowded in the box they should be transplanted or thinned so that they will not become spindly. In from six to eight weeks plants reach the transplanting size.

When it is necessary to provide more space for the growing seedlings they may be thinned out in the box in which they are grown, thinning to one or two inches between plants.

Early plants can also be secured by planting seeds out of doors in a hot-bed.

Dig a pit 3x6 or 6x6 feet, two feet deep, on the sunny side of a building. Line inside of pit with old boards, held in place by stakes. Make boards along back of pit extend six inches higher than in front, so that sash will slope when placed on top. Get a load of fresh horse manure, let it heat a few days, fork it over, let heat again and put into the pit, tramping firmly, until manure is eighteen inches deep. Place sash over pit, bank firmly with earth and a few days later place a four-inch layer of soil over the manure. Plant seeds in this when temperature gets down to 90 deg. F. and stays thereabouts.

The Treatment of Mange.

Every domestic animal is subject to that obnoxious and contagious disease mange, scabies, or itch, says Dr. Hilton, Chief Veterinary Inspector of the Dominion Health of Animals Branch in a bulletin "Mange in Cattle, Horses and Sheep." The Animal Contagious Diseases Act requires that every owner, breeder, dealer and veterinary surgeon, suspecting the existence of the disease shall immediately notify the nearest veterinary inspector.

Mange is caused by a minute parasite, commonly known as a mite, living on, or in the skin, and reproducing itself by means of eggs. When it is stated that the female can produce a million and a half descendants in the three months or less, and that they swarm off dead animals to lie in wait for living ones, it will be seen how terribly ravaging the disease may become. In his bulletin, which can be had free on applying to the Publications Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa, Dr. Hilton concisely but minutely describes the characteristics and nature of the disease, and prescribes treatment, which includes, in the case or horses and cattle, first washing with hot water and castile soap, thoroughly drying, and then applying a mixture composed of two pounds of sulphur, eight ounces of oil of tar, and one gallon of raw linseed oil. When the outbreak comprises a large number of animals, dipping is recommended in a mixture composed of 24 pounds of sulphur, ten pounds of fresh unslaked lime, and a hundred gallons of water. The treatment must be applied under the supervision of a veterinary inspector. A list of disinfectants, with instructions as to preparation and use, can be obtained free of charge on application to the Veterinary Inspector General, Ottawa.

In balancing the debits and credits of the months or years, let us not forget that the greatest assets of all are —FRIENDS.

I solder an inverted tin pan (which can be bought for ten cents) to the bottom of my lanterns. It prevents upsetting just as well as a cement base, and is much lighter to carry. As it presents a ring on the bottom it stands steady on uneven floors.—John Gormly.

Results of Spray Experiments in 1923

BY L. CAESAR, ONTARIO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

It should be kept in mind that the orchard—10 acres—was composed of alternate rows of Snow and McIntosh apples about 20 years old.

The following are the most important results obtained:

1. Check trees averaged 91 per cent. scab.

2. Trees sprayed only once, namely, as buds were bursting, averaged 46 per cent. scab.

3. Trees sprayed only once but later than above, namely, as blossom bud clusters were just appearing but were not yet showing pink (this stage is known as the pre-pink stage), averaged 28.7 per cent. scab.

4. Trees sprayed twice, namely, at either of the above times and again as the blossoms were ready to burst—the pink stage—averaged 16.8 per cent. scab.

5. Trees sprayed three times with lime-sulphur and either arsenate of lead or arsenate of lime, averaged 2.6 per cent. scab.

6. Trees sprayed with dry lime-sulphur, not soluble sulphur, at the maximum strength recommended by the manufacturers, four applications being given and all well timed and thorough, averaged 18.1 per cent. scab.

8. Wettable sulphur was shipped too late to use on any but the third or calyx spray, lime-sulphur being used in the first and second spray. Trees thus treated averaged 3 per cent. scab.

9. Trees sprayed with Bordeaux throughout showed an undesirable amount of russeting of the fruit but the foliage was good. The russeted fruit averaged 33 per cent. scab.

10. Where Bordeaux was used for the first two sprays and lime-sulphur for the third, the foliage was greener and better than where lime-sulphur was used in all three applications, the fruit too was but little russeted.

11. Arsenate of lime gave as good control of worms as arsenate of lead, the average for both plots being 4 per cent. wormy apples, all being due to side worms of which more than half made only surface injuries and did not succeed in entering the fruit.

12. A large excess of lime in making Bordeaux mixture seems desirable as there was almost no yellow leaf or leaf drop this year compared with a heavy drop last year when less lime was used. The formula this year was 3 lbs. bluestone, 9 lbs. hydrated lime, and 40 gallons water.

13. Hydrated lime gave just as satisfactory results as stone lime in making Bordeaux mixture and was, of course, much more convenient to use and store.

14. The addition of 3 lbs. hydrated lime to lime-sulphur before adding arsenate of lead lessened greatly the amount of sludge or blackish precipitate but seemed to make little or no difference in the efficiency of the spray.

15. Four sprays this year were no better than three in Norfolk County where the experiments were conducted. Last year a fourth spray was very valuable, especially in preventing scab.

16. The cheapest spray mixture was lime-sulphur, hydrated lime and arsenate of lime. This cost 25 per cent. less than lime-sulphur and arsenate of lead. (The hydrated lime was added to prevent the arsenate of lime burning foliage.) The next cheapest was Bordeaux mixture and arsenate of lime, which cost 2.5 per cent. more than lime sulphur, hydrated lime and arsenate of lime and 25 per cent. less than Bordeaux mixture and arsenate of lead. The dearest spray was Bordeaux and arsenate of lead. In the above it must be remembered that the strength of the lime-sulphur for the first application was 1 gallon to 35 gallons water as there was no scale present.

17. Some dusting was done but owing to a breakdown of the duster no reliable results could be inferred as to its efficiency.

SOME INFERENCES FROM THE ABOVE.

(a) The best time to apply the first spray this year was at the pre-pink stage, though the semi-dormant stage gave good results too.

(b) Each of the three regular sprays helped in the control of scab. No one can afford to omit any of these sprays.

(c) The best combination of sprays taking everything into account was, for this year at least, Bordeaux (3,9, 40 formula) for the first spray, Bordeaux of the same strength and arsenate of lime 1 pound for the second, and lime-sulphur 1 gallon to 40 gallons water, hydrated lime 2 or 3 pounds, and arsenate of lime 1 pound, for the third or calyx spray.

(d) Arsenate of lime on account of its cheapness, its making no precipitate or black sludge with lime-sulphur and of its equal killing value compared with arsenate of lead should, so far as one can judge, be substituted for arsenate of lead. It must not, however, be used with water alone but only with Bordeaux or lime-sulphur and with the latter 2 or 3 pounds of hydrated lime should be added to every 40 gallons of liquid to insure against burning.

(e) Some have thought that stone lime was superior to hydrated lime in making Bordeaux but there seems no good reason why hydrated lime should not be used especially as it is much easier to procure, store and handle.

(f) It does not seem safe to substitute dry lime-sulphur for the ordinary liquid lime-sulphur. Some years it will doubtless work well, but in a year favorable for scab it seems inferior.

(g) There is no need of using lime-sulphur stronger than 1 gallon to 35 or 40 gallons of water for the first spray unless scale is present.

In conclusion it may be of interest to know (1) that on an average about 6 gallons of spray per tree was found necessary, the trees being about 20 years old, thrifty and capable of bearing about 5 b... and (2) that the main i... this year in al... was before th... fore any perso... sprays should ... not controllin...

The Sunday School Lesson

FEBRUARY 24

The Period of the Judges, Judges chs. 2-16. Golden Text—I will heal their backsliding, I will love them freely—Hosea 14: 4.

CONTINUATION OF THE STORY—The book of Judges contains both the story of the period after Joshua, and an interpretation of the story. It tells us both what happened, and why it happened. It reveals the hand of God in the history, the just and yet merciful dealing of God with his people. It is a long and changeful record of evil and of good, of times of conflict and of rest, of defeat and of victory. The calamities which befell them are regarded as punishment for their evil deeds, and their deliverance as wrought by the divine compassion. Always when in their distress they cry to God, he raises up for them a deliverer.

NOTES: Ch. 2:16-18. *The Lord raised up judges.* This is the writer's summary explanation of all that happened. The people sinned, the Lord was angry with them and gave them into the hand of their enemies. In their distress they repented and cried to him for deliverance. He had compassion upon them and delivered them. The agents whom he employed were these men who were both warriors and judges, leading in war and ruling in peace. And, as with Moses and with Joshua, so now *"the Lord was with the judge, and delivered them out of the hand of their enemies."* Compare Ps. 78: 32-39.

It may be argued that all this is too mechanical, and that it does not perfectly represent the ways of God. The nation that sins is not always punished in this way, nor is the repentant nation always delivered. The people of Israel faced this fact themselves in the days of Assyrian and Babylonian oppression. The book of Job struggles with its problem of the suffering of the righteous and the prosperity of the wicked, and leaves it at last a mystery in the hand of omnipotent wisdom. Fundamentally, however, the writer of this history is right. It is well with the righteous. It does go ill with the wicked. The signs of God's wrath are not always present and visible, but his wrath against sin is inevitable. None can escape it. And just as sure as his wrath, so sure is his mercy to the distressed and the penitent. Interpret history as you will, the vision of faith will still see in it everywhere the working of the hand of God.

Ch. 7: 2, 3. *The Lord said unto Gideon.* We turn from the general statement of God's way with Israel, to the story of one of the judges. Gideon is raised up by God to deliver Israel from the Midianites,—Arab hordes from the eastern wilderness, who had held the land in subjection for seven years. Two of Gideon's brothers had been slain by them. Called of God to be the nation's deliverer, he first of all, made war on the idol worship which had its seat in his own town of Ophrah. Then he rallied the men of the northern tribes, Manasseh and Asher and Zebulun and Naphtali, against the enemy. The Midianite army made its camp in the valley of Jezreel. Its forces far outnumbered the forces which Gideon led, and some of his men were afraid. The Lord's word to him was a word of wisdom. The battle was not to be won by men who were *"fearful and afraid."* When permission was given, a great number turned back and Gideon had but ten thousand left.

V. 4. *Yet too many.* We may fairly understand the story to mean that Gideon again and again sought counsel of the Lord in prayer. The divine word was spoken in his mind and heart. God worked through the mind and by the hand of his chosen man, while Gideon ascribed all his strategy and skill, and his final victory, to God. Here, then, he was made to see that, in conflict with so powerful an enemy, victory could lie only in clever strategy and with picked men. He chose a way to test and pick the men he wanted.

V. 5-8. *Every one that lappeth.* The man who did not lay aside his weapons, but who stooped, lifted the water in the hollow of his hand and drank, was the man he chose and set aside. The other who sprawled on all fours, bowing on his knees and hands to drink, was not the man for the present task. He would be ... on in the pursuit of the fleein... By the chosen three hundre... his faith in God, Gideon w... did conquer.

APPLICATION.

1. *The Next Generation.* ... is a personal matter. We ... on inherited virtue. The ... fathers must be living ... the morals of the indivi... the nation are not to de... and his elders were good ... made so deep an impress u... tional life that "the people ... Lord all the days of Joshu... followed great neglect o... faith, family training, and ... ligion. Naturally and inev... soon developed "a gener... knew not the Lord."

2. *The Salt of the Earth.* ... vantage ground of his farm, ... aged man observed the spirit... moral decline of his people. A... to type, he pondered deeply as to the root causes of the national degeneration. They were prosperous enough. All round him in Esdraelon were waving wheat fields, laden orchards, fruitful vineyards, olive groves, and lovely gardens, one of the most beautiful pastoral scenes in the world. But Gideon's heart was heavy. It was literally "a land flowing with milk and honey." But the independent courage and glory of the people had departed, leaving them in weak and servile fear of marauding pirates. Even Gideon must thresh his wheat in hiding. Midianites, traveling merchantmen of the desert, had long coveted the riches of the rich corn fields of Israel, watching like vultures the jealousies, divisions, weakening morale and failing courage of the people, until the time was ripe for them to fall "into the hands of the spoilers." In the endless fights and skirmishes of the period, Gideon's brothers had lost their lives. The times are troubled, but here is a man who still retains his deep piety, and the heroic courage of a true son of Abraham. The spirit of Joshua still lives, not in the nation it is true, but in the individual. It is a sad time in the nation's history, but it is far from hopeless, for have we not the charming stories of Ruth, and Elkanah, and Hannah, and Samuel, and Gideon?

The cause of the people needs championing to-day. There are spoilers in our heritage. Canada is suffering acutely from wrong use and bad distribution of her wealth. Market manipulations, trade restrictions, exploiting monopolies, degenerating amusements, self-interested politics, and trafficking in the blood-guiltiness of human weakness and vice; a whole host of Midianites more destructive than a flight of locusts, challenge the sturdy patriotism, and consecrated common sense, and shrewd bravery of modern Gideons.

3. *A Call to Revival.* The great work to which Gideon was called was practically a revival of religion. Nothing other and nothing less could save the nation. And only in so far as people to-day can be brought to the love and service of God is there any hope. Pure religion inspires the soul, corrects the judgment, clears the vision, ennobles the motives, leads to right decisions, and kindles victorious faith.

Poultry

Many people appear to believe that the secret of getting eggs, particularly in winter, is in the feeds given and the methods of feeding; others believe the whole problem is in the breed or strain; while others think that the housing is the problem to solve. All these are important, but the main reason for poor results is a lack of careful work months before the eggs are wanted. While you are collecting the high-priced winter eggs you should be making careful plans to secure the crops of pullets for next season, so says Prof. W. R. Graham, Poultry Dept., Ontario Agricultural College.

Where eggs in winter are wanted the early hatched pullet is, without doubt, the one to depend upon. Yearling hens and those older are very rarely good producers during November and December. They are uncertain even in January and February and really do not begin to lay well until March. Where the egg production falls below fifteen per cent. during the winter months, one is not making much profit. The age at which most pullets begin laying is from six to seven months; some lay at four and one-half to five months, and others not until eight or nine months of age. This mean that if a fifty per cent. egg yield is wanted in November the pullets should be hatched during March or April; May hatched pullets will lay a little, but, as a rule, not forty or more per cent. daily.

Water rises in the soil by means of capillary attraction. That is, the water passes from each particle of soil to the next, the same as kerosene in a lamp-wick rises from fibre to fibre.

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A good colony of bees at the beginning of the main honey flow should consist of one selected queen and 75,000 to 100,000 workers. There should be as few drones as possible.

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HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON
Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

...ddleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health mat... through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina ...ent, Toronto.

...fare Clinics are a great ...thers throughout the Pro... ...t only do these meetings ... means for discussing with ... how to keep well-babies ... after all is the most im...nt, but they afford an op... ...r mothers to meet other ... discuss many interesting ...s which may be of mutual ... in the upbringing of their ...n. The important point about ... clinics is that they tend to pro... healthy, happy childhood, by the giving of advice and by offering suggestions. The children are all weighed and examined; if the child is in good physical condition the mother is told so, and complimented. If the child is below normal in any way, or if it has any defects that are hindering its progress, these defects are pointed out to the parent and advice given to have the matter put right without delay.

A child may complain of pains, vague and indefinite perhaps, but still sufficient to cause annoyance and loss of sleep. The mother may regard these as "growing pains," and pay little heed to them, thinking of course that they occur naturally in childhood and that they mean nothing in particular. Yet these pains are very significant—they point to trouble ahead, they are of a rheumatic character and due very likely to some focus of infection which is poisoning the system. This focus of infection may be decaying teeth, diseased tonsils, etc., which need immediate attention but which are often neglected through lack of knowledge on the part of the parent as to the serious results which may arise from neglected treatment. These and many other questions of interest to mothers and their children are discussed at the Child Welfare Clinics throughout the Province.

Many interesting reports are received from time to time giving some idea of how the work is being carried on, and what valuable assistance these Child Welfare Clinics are in a community. Following is a report from the Public Health Nurse at Collingwood:—

This year 52 clinics have been held, 572 babies have been weighed, measured and examined, and 2037 calls made, over 100 of the cases called upon being prenatal. A number of babies were visited regularly who lived either too far away or were too sick to bring to the clinic. A number of defects were found and the babies so affected were referred to the family physician.

Milk was supplied to fifteen babies, and six others have had prepared foods given them. Ten mothers were attended at time of birth, and five were looked after till recovery was complete. A complete outfit of clothes was given to eleven babies, and eight others had part outfits given them. Many thanks are due the Daughters of the Empire for their valuable assistance given at all times."

In Deeds He Takes Delight.

For still the Lord is Lord of might;
In deeds, in deeds, he takes delight;
The plough, the spear, the laden barks,
The field, the founded city, marks;
He marks the smiler of the streets,
The singer upon garden seats;
He sees the climber in the rocks;
To him the shepherd folds his flocks;
For those he loves that underprop
With daily virtues Heaven's top,
And bear the falling sky with ease,
Unfrowning caryatides.
Those he approves that ply the trade,
That rock the child, that wed the maid,
That with weak virtues, weaker hands,
Sow gladness on the peopled lands,
And still with laughter, song and shout,
Spin the great wheel of earth about.

—R. L. S.

ALMOST HELPLESS AFTER INFLUENZA

Left Weak, Nervous and Broken Down—Health Regained.

"A few years ago," says Miss Frances Hankla, of Plenty, Sask., "my mother, Mrs. Walter Hankla, was stricken with influenza, which was then epidemic, and for a time was in a critical condition. She appeared to get over the prominent symptoms of the trouble but did not regain her strength. Some weeks later her weakness developed into sinking spells in which she would almost smother. Notwithstanding medical aid these spells continued and she was constantly growing weaker, until she was practically reduced to skin and bone. Her lips and gums were colorless, she was nervous, and suffered from indigestion and palpitation of the heart. At this stage a friend of mother's, who lived at a distance, came to see her and strongly advised her to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which, she said, had greatly helped her in a critical illness. We got these pills and mother began taking them. The improvement was slow at first, but we could see that the sinking spells were growing less frequent, and that strength was returning. The treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills was continued, and day by day health and strength returned, until she was again able to go about, and help with the work of the house. The improvement this medicine made in her case was simply remarkable.

"I may also say," adds Miss Hankla, "that in my own case these pills were of the greatest benefit. Last winter I was in a badly run-down condition, and very nervous. My appetite failed and I had no color. Knowing what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had done for mother, I began taking them with the result that they soon made me as strong and full of vigor as the other girls of my age. I may just add that I think we owe mother's life and my good health to the pills and I hope our experience will be of benefit to some other sufferer."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50c, a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

EASY TRICKS

No. 825

Chance Foretold

The apparatus for the trick is a box like that in which some brands of little cigars come. This is just about big enough to hold a pack of cards.

The cards are shuffled by a spectator and placed in the box. A spectator is asked to hold the box. The performer then tells the names of the three or four cards which are on the top of the pack. When the box is opened and these cards examined the trickster is found to have spoken truly. The box may then be examined.

A second box is used. The label is soaked off the inner part of the cover and is pasted on the back of a playing card. On this card half a dozen cards are placed and the little packet placed in the cover of the box. The trickster keeps the hidden cards from falling by pressure of his fingers on the trick card and at casual inspection, the label being in view, there is nothing about the box to excite suspicion. When the cards are put in the box and the cover put on, the cards fall on the pack. As, the performer knows, which cards he put on the trick card, it is an easy matter to bring the trick to a conclusion. The box may be examined, of course, but the trick card should be removed from the pack at the earliest opportunity.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

Next to Come.

Wifie—"Now that we've gotten the dining-room completely furnished, what will come next?"

Hubby—"The collector."

A tree that for a long time held superstitious natives in fear is the "sneezewood," of South Africa. It makes no particular noise, but has the same effect as snuff upon any one who saws into it. Even the little dust produced by planing will sometimes throw the workman into a violent fit of sneezing. Insects of every kind let this tree severely alone. It's a tree to be sneezed at.

Send a Dominion Express Money Order. They are payable everywhere.

It is not in Heaven that we find God, but in God that we find Heaven. —H. M. Stansifer.

The best way to get ahead is to make good use of the head you already have.

It is better to show your neighbor how to live than to tell him.

Now Packed in Vacuumized Tins

80¢ the ½ lb.

Always – fragrant
Always – the same
Always – in good condition
Wherever and whenever you buy it.
Ogden's Liverpool.

A Wish.

Parrot—"Gee, I wish I didn't live with an old maid—I'd like to learn a few real cuss words!"

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

The man who is wronged can forget it; the man who wronged him never can.

Good excuses abound in the service of evil intentions.

If you run gasoline engines in cold weather, oil them up well after they stop and before they get cold, and you need not fear that they will get hot bearings upon starting. Just see how much oil you get into a bearing when the thermometer is at 10 or 20 deg. Fahrenheit.

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For quick relief heat Minard's and inhale. Splendid for cold in head, throat or chest.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

Is Your Blood Starving For Want of Iron?

Without Plenty of Iron In Your Blood You Don't Get the Strength and Nourishment Out of the Food You Eat.

When over-work, lack of sleep, improper food and impure air sap the iron from your blood and make you feel weak, nervous, irritable and out-of-sorts, it is important that you should at once put more iron into your blood. Without iron the blood loses the power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing that you eat does you the proper amount of good because you don't get the full strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. Because of this steady starvation of the blood and nerves people often become weakened, tired-out, nervous and rundown and frequently develop all sorts of symptoms. But the moment organic iron—Nuxated Iron—is supplied a multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear in most cases, the flesh becomes firmer, the muscles get back their strength and the roses of health bloom in cheeks that were pale and sickly looking.

No matter what other so-called remedies you may have tried, if you are not strong, vigorous, hearty and well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next, take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. You can obtain Nuxated Iron from your druggist on the distinct understanding that if you are not fully satisfied your money will be refunded.

Cause of Early Old Age

The celebrated Dr. Michenhoff, an authority on early old age, says that it is "caused by poisons generated in the intestine." When your stomach digests food properly it is absorbed without forming poisonous matter. Poisons bring on early old age and premature death. 15 to 30 drops of "Seigel's Syrup" after meals makes your digestion sound. 10

Vaporizing Iron.

There have been made in France experiments in the distillation, with the electric arc, of various metals and metalloids. One authority concludes, as the results of these researches, that there exists no known substance that cannot be distilled in our laboratories. The ebullition of iron is very difficult to produce, yet one experimenter claims to have distilled 400 grams of iron in twenty minutes with an electric current of 1,000 amperes at a pressure of 110 volts. In all cases, it is said, the various of the metals condense in the form of a crystalline dust, possessing all the chemical properties of those metals when reduced to the form of powder.

The French experiments are thought to throw light on the probable temperature of the sun, where iron and the other chemical elements exist in a state of vapor. The maximum temperature of the electric arc is about 3,500 degrees centigrade. But, owing to the greater pressure produced by gravitation on the sun, it is probable that the temperature of ebullition of the elements there is higher than on ...e earth.

...oft slippers are craved by the ...t man and the youngest boy.

... and sure" is all right if ...uite sure you're not too slow.

HEALTHY CHILDREN ALWAYS SLEEP WELL

The healthy child sleeps well and during its waking hours is never cross but always happy and laughing It is only the sickly child that is cross and peevish. Mothers, if your children do not sleep well; if they are cross and cry a great deal, give them Baby's Own Tablets and they will soon be well and happy again. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach, banish constipation, colic and indigestion and promote healthful sleep. They are absolutely guaranteed free from opiates and may be given to the new-born babe with perfect safety. The new sales tax will not increase the price of Baby's Own Tablets, as the company pays the tax. You can still obtain the Tablets through any medicine dealer at 25 cents a box, or by mail, post paid, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Leap-Year Customs.

There are twenty-nine days in February this year, for 1924 is a leap year. A leap year is one whose number in the Christian era can be divided by four without remainder, century years—1900, and so on—being excepted.

The necessity for leap years lies in the fact that the solar year consists of 364 days 5 hours 48 minutes, and therefore periodic readjustment is necessary.

The most famous custom associated with leap year is the one which gives women the privilege of proposing on every 29th of February.

This privilege is legendarily said to have been cajoled out of St. Patrick by St. Bridget. In more recent times the right has, apparently, been extended to cover the whole year.

Though it is a woman's privilege to propose during leap year, there is a certain etiquette to be observed. According to one old authority, should the man to whom she offers her hand decline it she may claim from him a silk dress, but only if at the time of proposing she is wearing a scarlet petticoat and shows it to him.

According to a seventeenth-century writer, when a woman exercises her leap-year privilege "no man will be entitled to the benefit of clergy who doth in any wise treat her proposal with slight or contumely."

In parts of New England there lingers a curious superstition that in leap year beans grow on the wrong side of the pod.

A Striking Transformation.

Without telling little Nellie, her father had added a fine male peacock to his flock of fowls. Soon after, breathless with haste, she burst into the dining room and exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, come and see, quick! One of the chickens is in full bloom!"

Wire stronger than steel has been made out of rock salt, according to the claim of a Russian scientist.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Evidently Worth a Lot.

"Always thought Jones didn't think his wife worth much; but I hear he's bought her a fine piece of ground."

"In that case he evidently thinks she's worth a lot."

Wild Oats for Him.

Little Percy was always carefully guarded against germs. The telephone was sprayed, the drinking utensils sterilized and public conveyances and places were forbidden to him for fear of lurking bacteria.

"Father," he said one night in a tone of desperation, "do you know what I am going to do when I grow up?"

"What?" asked the father, preparing for the worst.

"I am going to eat a germ."

Ignorant.

Motorist—"It's preposterous to say I was driving dangerously. I'm an expert driver. What I know about driving would fill a book."

Constable—"And what you don't know would fill a hospital. Give us your name and address now."

ASPIRIN

Beware of Imitations!

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Demand

Unless you see the name "Bayer Cross" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty... years for

Colds	Headache
Toothache	Lumbago
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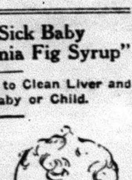
Neuralgia	Pain, Pain

Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" ...nly. Each unbroken package con... ...proven directions. Handy boxes ...elve tablets cost few cents. Drug... also sell bottles of 24 and 100. ...spirin is the trade mark (registered ... Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of ...onoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid. While it is well known that Aspirin ...eans Bayer Manufacture, to assist ... public against imitations, the Tab... of Bayer Company will be stamp... ...th their general trade mark, the ... Cross."

Mother! Give Sick Baby "California Fig Syrup"

Harmless Laxative to Clean Liver and Bowels of Baby or Child.



Even constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic Babies and Children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other ... ...nd starts the ... without grip... ...tics or sooth... ...nia" to your ...terfeits! In... ...lifornia Fig

GIRLS! HAIR GROWS THICK AND BEAUTIFUL

35-Cent "Danderine" Does Wonders for Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

A gleamy mass of luxuriant hair full of gloss, lustre and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."

Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic — not sticky or greasy! Any drugstore.

Children Delight In Cuticura Soap Baths

Because they are soothing and refreshing for tender skins, especially if assisted by Cuticura Ointment on first signs of redness or roughness. The Cuticura Talcum also, delicately medicated and exquisitely perfumed, is excellent for little ones.

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Lymans, Limited, 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

MRS. MISENER'S ACHES AND PAINS

Vanished After Using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"Branchton, Ont.—"When I wrote to you for help my action was mostly prompted by curiosity. I wondered if I, too, would benefit by your medicine. It was the most profitable action I have ever taken; I heartily assure you, for through its results I am relieved of most of my sufferings. I have taken six boxes of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine, and I can honestly say I have never been so well before. I had suffered from pains and other troubles since I was fifteen years old, and during the 'Great War' period I worked on munitions for two ye... and, in the heavy lifting whi... called for, I strained mys... pelvic inflammation from w... suffered untold agony, and I ... to give up and go to bed. I had ... for several years without ge... manent relief, when I sta... your medicines."—Mrs. G... ...ENER, Branchton, Ont.

Write to the Lydia E. Pin... ...cine Co., Cobourg, Ontario, for a fre... of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private ... Book upon "Ailments of Women."

PRINTING

This is the time of year when your supplies of Printed Business Stationery are running low. We were never in a better position to supply your needs than at the present time.
Let us quote you on your requirements.

The Review

Farm for Sale

103 acres four miles from Madoc lot 8, 9th concession. 65 acres tillable, balance bush. Near church school and cheese factory. Good buildings with lightning rods. Rural mail. For further particulars apply to the owner, Field W. Allen, Madoc Ont. 6-3p

Farm For Sale

150 acres of land in the village of Stirling, about 125 acres under cultivation, balance pasture. Hard and soft wood. Creek running across farm. All wire fenced. Basement barn 40x70 and 36x50. Shed 50x20. Hog pen 12x20. Drive house 24x24. Ice house, silo, barn electric lighted and power. House situated on front street 30x40 and 26x35 (double house). Hard and soft water. Power for washing etc. Bath room. Hard and soft water in house. Electric lighted. Apply to J. B. Belshaw, Stirling, Ontario. Phone 61. tf-6

To Let

House and several acres of land known as H. H. Johnson homestead. Apply to Mrs. H. H. Johnson, or T. E. Burnside, Madoc.

For Sale

Improved Yorkshire—Brood sows to farrow March and April, also unbred sows weighing from 80 to 225 pounds. Apply to Stanley Rollins. Cooper, Ont. 7-2

Farm For Sale

Farm for sale or rent with option of buying. Two hundred acres on Picton-Desertonto road, with lovely view of the bay. Close to school and church. Wm. F. VanSkiver, R.R. No. 6, Picton. 7-4

ENTRANCE EXAMS. ARE LATER THIS YEAR

The announcement of the dates of High, Middle and Upper School entrance examinations, just made public came as a surprise from one point of view as they are later in the year than has been the practice in the past. Up until the present all these examinations have been completed before the end of June, but according to present arrangements the exams ends year run into July.

The dates are as follows:

High School Entrance, July 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Model School Entrance, July 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Middle School, June 23rd.

Upper School, June 23rd.

SEEK CAUSE OF DEATH OF RODERICK MACKENZIE

Roderick Mackenzie's death will be made the subject of an inquest.

That is the decision of the authorities of Northumberland and Durham Counties. The inquest will open at Cobourg this week.

As Mackenzie's body was not interred at the time, being deposited in a vault, it will only be necessary to bring the casket from the vault and open the casket.

Provincial police officers from Belleville will attend.

Mackenzie was found dead in a bank of snow on a side road some miles from the town of Cobourg on January 21 after having been missing from January 21st. His team was still beside him when he was discovered.

Detroit, Feb. 14.—Henry Ford employs in his major industries here and throughout the world 162,792 persons the Ford Company announced today. Of this number 121,214 are employed in manufacturing plants in the United States and 24,323 in the American branches. Employees in foreign lands number 11,028.

In addition to those employed by the Ford Company—a total of 156,565—2,525 men are employed on Mr. Ford's D. T. & I. railroad; 2,282 in the Fordson coal mines; 720 at the Henry Ford Trade School and 700 at the Henry Ford Hospital here.

The Highland Park (Detroit) plant is the greatest of the Ford industries employing 68,285 men.

41% of all Genuine Ford Parts are sold for 15 cents or less. 35% of all Genuine Ford Parts are sold for 10 cents or less. The blue and white sign identifies the Authorized Ford Service Stations.

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There are 3500 authorized Ford Service Stations in Canada.

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When the merchant tells the story of his goods in his newspaper ads he automatically reduces the amount of time required to wait on a customer. The more completely the story of the goods and what they will do for the customer is told, the shorter will be the time required to sell them. In most cases this saving alone will pay for ad. while the additional business it brings in will be so much velvet.

Moccasin DANCE

Will be Held at the

MADOC SKATING RINK

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Dancing from 8 to 11 p.m.

Good Music will be Furnished. Everybody Welcome

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of an address on at the Foxboro C. Mikel, K.C., Belle- volunteers had been ther men or women, to ers to deliver invitations Calvin Coolidge at Washd to the Governor-General to attend the U. E. L. cele- June 16th and 17th, at Belle- he couriers would make the horseback after the manner early pioneer days. Notice sent ahead of the couriers to ors of the cities and towns which the couriers would to the Chiefs of Police and papers, and the trips would unced by the various radio The couriers may give talks es before Rotary and Kiclubs and other organizations various places through which s where an opportunity is af- The couriers may be men or

Already several young men lunteered for the Washington ch would start early in April. Mikel also announced that tant General of the Military f New York State had writ- that he had asked the 108th Regiment and the 101st Cav- Rochester to volunteer for a Belleville to attend the cele-

of the effort indicated by connected with the coal busor example: dig, load, haul,

SO LADY TERRINGTON WORE FUSSY CLOTHES

LONDON, Feb. 18. — Lady Terrington has carried out her campaign threat to wear her best clothes in the House of Commons instead of following the lead of Lady Astor, who set a precedent for the first three women M. P.'s with her simple black coat suit and white silk shirt with broad turn-back collar.

Seven of the eight femine parliamentarians appeared for the first day's debating in plain dark costumes, either black or brown. But Lady Terrington wore a three piece model of black charmeuse, the loose coat lined with lacquer red, and bordered with gold over-braided in red to match. Her sheer silken stockings were of a light hue. She wore a little hat, its crown swathed with a wide black ribbon tied in a bow on one side. In the centre of the hat was an upright buckle that caught and flashed the rays of light.

Lady Astor was dressed with the same severity, quakerish in its simplicity with which she has always appeared in the house. So was Mrs. Phillipson, a former musical comedy star, and Mrs. Wintringham wore black, as usual. The Duchess of Atholl wore a black frock and shining hat of draped satin. The three Labourite ladies — Dorothy Jewson, Susan Lawrence and Margaret Bondfield, were unlike the rest, hatless. Their costumes were simple and plain.

MOCCASIN DANCE

The Moccasin Dance held on the Madoc Skating Rink, on Monday evening was poorly attended due, to other entertainments in town, but all those who were present had a very enjoyable time.

Presentation and Address

To Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nickle at the Home of Mr. Jas. Nickle, Malone

A most enjoyable and social evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nickle, Malone, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19th, when a number of friends and neighbours met in honour of the marriage of their son, William James, to Miss Grace Tebworth. It was a great surprise to the young folks, but they did justice to the occasion.

The address was read by Miss Minnie Allt, and the presentation made by Mr. Albert Nickle. Mr. Nickle made a very suitable reply in a few well chosen words. Lunch was served and the remainder of the evening spent in dancing.

The address follows:-

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Nickle

Dear friends:-

We your friends and neighbours have assembled here this evening in anticipation of enjoying a social and pleasant evening on the event of your starting out on the long journey of your congenial life together.

We can assure you that our associations in the past have been most congenial, and those of us who have known you longest, love and respect you most. We can also assure you that if you decide to cast your lot among us in the future, that we will have a friend and neighbour, who will command out utmost confidence and respect, but if you decide otherwise, we feel that what is our loss, will be others gain. We would ask you to accept this accompanying gift, as a slight token of the high esteem and respect in which you are held, and when you are going down the long, long trail may it be a reminder of the many happy days spent long ago.

Our most earnest wish to you is that your life may be a long and prosperous one.

Signed on behalf of your many friends and neighbours.

Albert Nickle,
George Fox.

The gift consisted of a beautiful set of teaspoons, berry spoon, butter knife, sugar shell, and pickle fork to match.

GROCERY STORES LATEST AMONG HOLDUPS

Toronto, Feb. 18 — Armed auto bandits entered two grocery stores on Saturday night, and, at the point of a revolver, obtained $200 cash in one store and 75 cents, together with an account book, from a store in Todmorden. The five hold-up men did not have it all their own way in the store beyond the city limits. To get the small amount of money they had to tear part of the storekeeper's clothing from his body. The car used by the robbers, it is reported, was stolen.

NEVER ATE ICE CREAM

LIBERTY, Mo., Feb. 22 — Gus Bishop reached the age of 70 yesterday and claim fame for the things he hadn't done. Bishop has never chewed gum, ate icecream, seen a motion picture, ridden on a railroad train or in an automobile, worn a collar or a necktie, talked over a telephone, seen a building more than four storeys high, or moved. He lives in the same house in which he was born.

"I never saw any sense in doing unnecessary things," Bishop said.

300 MINERS STRIKE

CALGARY, Feb. 20 — About three hundred miners working for the Mountain Park Coal Company went on strike this morning and at a special meeting of the local union, held in the afternoon, it was decided to remain out until the alleged to be the cause of the strike is dismissed from the company's service.

NEW RADIO STATION MAY BE CANADA'S BEST

OTTAWA, Feb. 24. The largest and most powerful radio station in Canada, operated by the Canadian National Railways as the first of a chain which it is hoped will be extended across Canada, will come on the air Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, with a complete and varied program of musical selections and a talk to listeners by Sir Henry Thornton. The new station expects to have a range beyond that of any station in Canada.

A novel arrangement in connection with this station, to insure clearer reception by listeners, is the distance between the studio and the operating room. The studio is located on the first of the building and the operating room on the roof.

The new station will sign CKCH, and will broadcast on a wave of 435 metres. The initial program will be relayed by Station CHYC, Montreal, on a wave of 341 metres, so that radio listeners everywhere in Canada and the United should have no difficulty in receiving the program.

HART'S CLUB HOLD SOCIAL EVENING

On Friday evening Feb. 22nd, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Caskey opened their home for a social evening under the auspices of Harts' Farmers Club. The heavy roads and intense cold did not prevent about ninety of young and old from being present and enjoying an exceedingly pleasant evening. The genial host and hostess had a hearty welcome for all and the club members exerted themselves to give every one a jolly good time and judging by the lateness of the hour of breaking up they must have been successful. The general comment was for another home to open its doors in the good old-fashioned way.

The first social evening of this kind was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCaffrey and proved so popular that all wished it repeated so Mr. and Mrs. Caskey gave their home.

Madoc Township Council Meet

Accounts Ordered Paid—By-laws Passed

Eldorado, Feb. 11, 1924.

Council met with all the members present.

The following accounts were paid:

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Dr. Tindel, auto hire, Flinton to Belleville, with A. Sager to hospital	10 00
C.St.Charles taking John Parks to House of Refuge	13.50
Bert McCoy for 2 sheep killed by dogs	16 00
Duncan McKenzie for 1 sheep	8 00
Hugh Empey, cedar	12 60
Thos. Tanner, building culvert	10 00
Thos. Moorcroft " "	10 00
J.W. Vince, account, 1922, 1923	15 10
W. T. Allen, registrations 1923	22 75

A colonization road bylaw was passed authorizing a grant of $1600 on main and leading roads in the Township.

The following are the roads on which the grants have been made:

Road No. 1—Between concessions 8 and 9 and across lots 16 and 17 $200; and between con. 9 and 10 and across lots 27 and 28 $200.

No. 2—Between west half of lot 22 and west half of lot 21, con. 3 $200.

No. 3—From jog in road on the east half of lot 22, con. 6, at Manley Fox's house to lot 23, con. 6 $200.

No. 4—Between cons. 8 and 9 and across part lots 9 and 10 $200, and across part lots 11 and 12 and between con. 10 and 11 $200.

No. 5—Across lot 1 and south half of lot 2 and between con 4 and 5 $200.

No. 6—Between lots 10 and 11, con 6, west side $200.

A bylaw to regulate the running at large of dogs for the year 1924 was passed through its several readings, signed, sealed and numbered 69.

Council adjourned to March 17th at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m.

A statistician claims that fifty per cent of the people who go into banks go in to fill their fountain pens.

HASTING'S COUNTY CLUB HOLD BANQUET

The fourth annual banquet of the Hasting's County Club was held at Hunt's Tea Rooms, Yonge street, Toronto, on Monday evening, February 11th. One hundred and eighty guests filling the large banquet hall to capacity enjoyed the sumptuous dinner and delightful programme.

Mr. C. Hatton, the vice-president ably occupied the chair. During his speech he made the announcement that the club would be reorganized with a yearly membership fee of $1.00 which was met with approval of all.

The programme consisted of speeches by Mr. J. P. Hill M. P. P. Mr. W. S. Ireland, M.P.P., Major Balford, M. P.P., Mr. Geo. Kingston, and Mr. S.G. Faulkner. A toast to the county was proposed by Mr. H. Welsh and responded to by Mr. Geo. Eckert. A piano solo was ably rendered by Miss Hazel Stuart and a solo by Mrs. Arnold Conger, given in her usual pleasing manner, also a solo by Mr. W. Sharpe was appreciated.

The remainder of the evening was spent in community singing and dancing.

"MARTHA MADE OVER"

This play, Martha Made Over staged at Hazzard's Corners Orange hall by the Hazzard's Corners W. M. S. on Friday evening last was a decided success, and was enjoyed by both old and young people. Owing to bad roads a number from a distance were hindered from attending. The W.M.S. realized a good sum considering the stormy weather of the past few days preceding the play.

This play will be staged again on March the 4th in the Masonic Hall Madoc, and all those who were unable to attend at Hazzard's will have another chance to see the play put on by the same players. This is a wonderful play, with a splendid moral, just lively enough to suit people of all ages. A great many, who saw it at Hazzard's are waiting to see it staged the second time.

Cross & Co's Annual FEBRUARY SALE

Lasts until March 1st.

Specials for This Week

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WORMS BOTHER HORSES

Some Are Long, Some Are Short, All Are Annoying.

They Range From Two to Fifteen Inches in Length—Symptoms Described—Practical Treatment Suggested.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The Oxyurides or Pin Worms.

The Oxyurides are popularly known as "Pin Worms," and are among the most common parasites affecting the large intestine of horses.

Characteristics: Two varieties of this class of pin worms are said to occur in horses, termed respectively the Oxyuris Curvula and the Oxyuris Mastigodes. The Oxyuris Curvula is probably the more common, and some authorities appear to consider the Oxyuris Mastigodes to be but a variation of an abnormal form of the Curvula. In general appearance and form they closely resemble each other, the chief difference noticeable being their length. The average length of the Oxyuris Curvula is about two inches, while the Oxyuris Mastigodes is about four inches in length. They are both distinctly curved in shape, and made up of a body and tail. The body is the curved and thickest part and forms the anterior half. Posteriorly the body becomes attenuated and is prolonged by a whip-like, long tail which tapers to a thin point. They inhabit the large intestine, more especially the colon and rectum, and are sometimes present in large numbers. The eggs are deposited around the outer margin of the anus and become noticeable as a yellow incrustation. The life history and cycle of these parasites has not been fully determined, but it is probable that infection takes place direct by ingestion of food and water contaminated with eggs, which later become hatched in the stomach and intestines.

Symptoms: If present in small numbers they may not cause any inconvenience. When present in large numbers they cause considerable irritation of the bowel and rectum, and the animal is noticed to be frequently rubbing the anus and tail against any convenient object. Owing to the continued irritation to which they give rise they may greatly impair the general health of the animal, causing unthriftiness and loss of condition. A characteristic symptom of the presence of pin worms is the appearance of a greyish fur and yellow incrustation around the margin of the anus, resulting from the eggs deposited and dried mucus accumulating. The worms themselves are also often observed hanging out of the anus or in the dung being passed.

Treatment: Medicinal treatment and injections are usually successful in expelling and eradicating pin worms from horses. A useful remedy consists in two ounces of turpentine given in a pint of raw linseed oil, as a drench, repeated once a week as may be required. In addition, injections into the rectum should be given each morning consisting of warm, salt water containing about four tablespoonsful of salt to each quart of water. Salt should also be given in mashes or placed within reach of the animal. The skin around the margin of the anus should be washed to remove the incrustation of eggs.

The prevention of infestation by pin worms consists of avoiding food and water which are contaminated by the droppings from horses.

Ascaris Megalocephala.

This is a large worm which is very common among horses. It is so named on account of its comparatively large head.

Characteristics: In form it is a long, round worm tapering towards both ends. They are of a whitish or yellowish color and are easily distinguished by their large-sized and expanded heads, provided with three papillae or lips. The females are the larger, being from six to fifteen inches in length, while the males are from five to ten inches. They are the largest and most common of the round worms infesting horses, and inhabit the small intestines of horses of all ages, and are sometimes present in large numbers. The ova or eggs have great power of resistance and vitality, and after being expelled from an animal may remain alive for a period of over a year in manure, moist earth or ponds. The eggs and larvae are in turn taken into the system with the food and water, and, on reaching the intestines develope into the mature worms.

Symptoms: As a rule this worm is only present in small numbers and does not give rise to much inconvenience or harm. When present in considerable numbers they are frequently noticeable in the dung, and may cause the usual symptoms of worms in general.

Treatment: Medicinal treatment is usually effective in expelling this parasite, as they live chiefly in the contents of the small intestines, and vermifuge medicines dissolving in the bowels kill them rapidly. The following remedies have proved to be effective;—Sulphate of iron given in two dram doses in the feed every morning for a week followed up on the seventh day by a purgative, such as an ounce of aloes given as a ball, or a pint of raw linseed oil. The iron may be continued longer, if necessary. Two ounces of turpentine given in a pint of milk or raw linseed oil is also useful. The most effective agent, however, is probably tartar emetic given in doses of half one to two drams daily for four or five days, followed by a dose of physic.—C. D. McGilvray, M.D.V., Ont. Vet. College, Guelph.

The success a man has in the production of lambs depends on the kind of ewes he selects, and the care he gives them.

GOOD YEAR IN BRITISH BOOKS

LONDON—Despite unemployment and the bad trade conditions of last year, British publishers were able to bring out 12,274 new books, which places 1924 only second to 1913 in history of British publishing. The publishers' report for the year states that, so far as volume of output is concerned, the business has entirely recovered from the effect of the war.

Of the number of volumes published 9,246 were new books and 3,028 were new editions.

GO AHEAD WITH TOWER AND 'TWILL BE HIGHER

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—An exact model in plaster of paris of the new Parliament Buildings as they will look when the tower is completed now stands in the lobby of the Privy Council Chamber. It was made by J. Sharpe, sculptor of the Department of Public Works, and placed in the lobby for Cabinet Ministers to inspect. It is modelled to scale, and shows the tower to be much higher than that of the old building. The work of completing the tower will, it is understood, be started this spring.

45-FOOT SNOWDRIFT

Mitchell, Feb. 24. — From many quarters comes stories of snowdrifts from 16 to 20 feet deep, and although there are plenty of these in this community there is a drift on the farm of Peter Regan, on the eighth concession of Logan, that covers his windmill, which is 40 feet high. In fact, the snow is five feet higher than the windmill and it is blocked so that it will not pump water. In many orchards the snow is right up to the top of the trees. Ladders would not be needed if it was apple-picking time. On Saturday a number of Mitchell people went out into Logan to see the sights.

A REMINDER

The mail carrier has a real grievance. After every snow storm he has to break his way into from 40 to 75 mail boxes in a day.

Would you like that job? Would you like your own horses to do that for a day?

Why not shovel or break a way to your mail boxes after a storm? It will be a good deed. You will enjoy your breakfast all the better after it and you will read your letters and newspapers with a better conscience.

FORECAST IN SPORT BUSY SUMMER PROMISED

Next summer it is expected that a series of Soccer and Rugby Football games, as well as indoor and hard ball baseball games will be played between Madoc Trail Rangers and Stirling Trail Rangers. Madoc may scintillate in hockey, but when it comes to rugby, Stirling will shine. Stirling News-Argus.

OSHAWA BECOMES A CITY

Oshawa's application to be raised to the status of a city met with no opposition at the hearing before the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board on Tuesday. The charter was granted to take effect on March 8. Elections will be held on March 22, with nominations on March 15. Oshawa's population is given as 15,545.

GOLF TEAM FOR AMERICA

YORK, Eng., Feb. 25.—It is definitely decided to send a representative British golf team to America this year to play another international match for the Walker Cup. The organization of the team will be left to the Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrew's and the Championships Committee.

FIRST AT THE SWITCHBOARD

Forty-five years ago Miss Mary Beatrice Kennedy got a job as telephone girl in New York City. She was the first female switchboard operator to be employed by a telephone company in the world. She's been working at the same job ever since. Not in the same place, but doing the same thing day after day—plugging in at a switchboard.

London, Feb. 23.—Eton College, England's most aristocratic institution of learning and the Alma Mater of the royal family, has enough students entered on its rolls to keep the school filled until 1934. The school authorities have announced that they are unable to enter any more students before that year and for the five years following only prospective students who are sons of old Etonians will be considered.

GROWING SUDAN GRASS

Experimental Results at Ontario Agricultural College.

Average Yields for Five Years For Green Crop and for Hay—How It Compares With Millet and Sorghum—A Good Emergency Crop—About Alfalfa.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

This forage plant, which belongs to the sorghum family, and is one of the finest in leaf and stalk of this group of plants, was introduced into the United States from Africa in 1909. During the last ten years it has obtained considerable prominence in the South-western States, and more recently has been advertised and sold by seedsmen in Ontario, and also grown by a few farmers in the Province.

Sudan Grass has been under test in the experiments at Guelph for the past eight years. During this time it has been grown for its total green fodder yield, for hay, for seed and for pasture.

Average Yields for Five Years.

The following table gives the average yield for five years of green fodder and of hay per acre of this crop, and of three types of Millett, Mand's Wonder Forage Plant and Early Amber Sugar Sorghum:

Varieties	Green Crop Tons	Hay Tons
Early Amber Sugar Sorghum	16.92	8.19
Mand's Wonder Forage Plant	13.15	5.22
Japanese Panicle Millet	10.43	4.41
Japanese Barnyard Millet	11.23	4.33
Sudan Grass	8.90	3.69
Siberian Millet No. 71	8.52	3.55

For the results of this experiment the plots were all sown broadcast.

It will be seen that in yield of green fodder and of hay per acre the Sudan Grass was surpassed by five of the six crops included in the test. The quality of hay made from Sudan Grass was superior to that made from Early Amber Sugar Sorghum and Mand's Wonder Forage Plant, and slightly inferior to that made from the three Millets. This and other experiments indicate that Sudan Grass, although it yields somewhat less per acre, makes a better quality of hay than any of the other eight classes of sorghums which we have had under test.

In the average of two years' tests in which Sudan Grass was grown for seed production in comparison with three varieties of millet, teff grass and early amber sugar sorghum, the Sudan Grass weighed 38.1 pounds per measured bushel, yielded 4.52 tons of straw and 96.7 pounds of grain per acre. This was a smaller yield of grain than that produced by the early amber sugar sorghum and three different varieties of millet.

In pasture experiments at Guelph, Sudan Grass has stood the hot, dry summers very well. Sowing a mixture of six pecks of O.A.C. No. 72 Oats and 15 pounds of Sudan Grass seed per acre produced a greater amount of pasture than when Sudan Grass was sown alone.

Must Be Sown on Warm Soil.

Our experience with Sudan Grass leads us to believe that the plant is more subject to injury by late frosts in the spring than the average variety of dent corn. In drouth resistance it is the equal, if not the superior, of Indian corn. It is essential in sowing Sudan Grass that it be not sown until the soil is warm. We have had the best results from sowing this crop just after the corn has been seeded. When sown for hay or pasture, Sudan Grass is usually sown broadcast or in close drills. 25 to 30 pounds per acre should be sown when Sudan Grass is sown alone, and when used in mixtures for pasture about 15 pounds per acre is sown. Sudan Grass should be cut for hay when the heads are in full bloom, and may be cured in much the same manner as timothy. This crop has been little grown for silage either in the United States or Canada. The reasons for this being that it is a better hay and pasture than a silage plant and that Indian corn is a larger yielder of silage than Sudan Grass.

We have had different classes of sorghum under experiment at Guelph for twenty-eight years, and Sudan Grass for the past eight years. Up to the present time we have had no trouble from sorghum poisoning in the feeding of Sudan Grass or the other sorghums to stock.

Worth Trying as a Pasture Crop.

From the experimental evidence at hand, it would seem that Sudan Grass has shown sufficient promise to warrant its trial in a limited way for pasture, and as an emergency hay crop on the warmer soil of Southern and South-western Ontario, and in favored areas even farther north. Sudan Grass has been included in the co-operative experimental tests in each of the past four years, and will be distributed again in the spring of 1924. Any farmer in Ontario, therefore, who desires to test this plant under his own conditions may have an opportunity of doing so.—W. J. Squirrell, O.A. College, Guelph.

Ontario Variegated and Grimm Alfalfas.

Ontario Variegated is not a Grimm alfalfa. The seed of the former was obtained from Lorraine in 1871 and has been grown in Welland County for the last half century. The Grimm variety was brought from Baden, Germany, by Kulsheim Grimm and was sown in Carver County, Minnesota, in 1858, where this type of alfalfa has been grown since. Both varieties have yellow flowers and are similar in characteristics.

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An interesting co[illegible] psychological aspect [illegible] was made by Hon. John [illegible] Minister of Agriculture, [illegible] course of a talk to repres[illegible] of the Farm Press of the [illegible] at an informal dinner at the [illegible] Edward Hotel. Since, before [illegible] came Minister of Agriculture, chickens held a foremost place in the interests of "The White Wyandotte King," it was natural that he should turn to the poultry breeding industry for an illustration to point his remarks on the importance of advertising. "If you make so big win[illegible] say, Madison Square Gardens, in New York, and [illegible] about it in a little, two-inch space—well [illegible] the point—it has an important [illegible] chological effect on the "rank a[illegible] nie," he observed.

"But if you tell about it in a space appropriate to the importance of the win, you get the results."

ARMED ROBBERS AT BELLEVILLE

Belleville, February 21.—Returning to her home on Canifton Road at 11 o'clock last night Mrs. Nathaniel Vanmeer found her husband bound hand and foot and his head buried in a chair before which he knelt on [illegible] knees. He had not been gagged [illegible] told his wife that two men had [illegible] aced him with guns, took $111 from one of his hip pockets, then bound him and made him kneel before the chair. "Do not move," the thugs advised, "or we'll blow your head off." They hastily departed after securing the money.

The men were masked and were armed. Mr. Vanmeer was alone in the house at the time. The police this afternoon made two arrests, the parties being held on a technical charge of vagrancy. The robbers were apparently young men and were well dressed.

OBITUARY

MRS. WM. WRIGHT

Mrs. Rosa Wright, beloved wife of Mr. William Wright, died at her home, 50 South Church St., Belleville, on February 25th. She was 55 years of age and had lived for the last [illegible] years in Belleville. She is [illegible] mourn besides her husband, [illegible] sons, John, James and Joseph [illegible] daughters, Mrs. J. E. Curlock, [illegible] land, Ohio, and Mrs. R. Thompson, Bayside, two sisters, Mrs. Peter Boyleau, Belleville, and Mrs. Anthony Lessard, of Elzevir, two brothers, Mr. James Brough, of Belleville, and Mr. Jeff Brough, of Elzevir.

The funeral will be held at her late residence on Wednesday at 1.15 o'clock with service at the house, funeral at 3.45 and interment in Belleville vault.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lent begins on Wednesday March 5th.

Mr. Frank Bouck, of Bancroft was in town for a few days last week.

Mr. Wesley Bristol, of Halifax, was a week-end guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Bristol.

An old-timer is one who can remember when the brimstone of spring was sulphur and not.

Mrs. Percy Naylor left town on Tuesday to spend a few days in Campbellford with her father.

On Saturday last Mr. Tommy Potts, of Trenton heard the beating of a human heart over his radio from W. S. B., Atlantic General, Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. John Ellis has recently purchased the residence of Mr. Arthur Ketcheson on North St. Lawrence street.

Mr. Storring is starting his saw mill this week at Crookston.

Mrs. Chris. Henderson is in Toronto spending a few days with friends there.

When a politician declares for a "vigorous policy" he means that he doesn't know what in Sam Hill he would do about things.

Messrs. J. E. Marcellus and Geo. Wright are in Toronto this week, attending Grand Lodge which is now in session.

On Wednesday, February 20th, 1924, Phillip Beauderie, of Madoc Township, was married to Florence Kellar, of Sidney Township, at the Methodist Parsonage, Frankford, by Rev. Isaac Snell.

If there isn't a figure 4 after the month on the label of your paper, your subscription has expired. Take a look, and if you owe for The Review please remit at your early convenience.

—The Febuary meeting of the Madoc Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Burnside, on Friday 29th, at 2.30 p.m. The report of the convention will be given and a good attendance is requested.

The vital statistics for the town of Picton for 1923 as reported by Town Clerk, R. H. Cajnan, are as follows: Births 65, marriages 60, deaths 68. During the year the clerk issued 70 marriage licenses.

—Auction Sale of Farm Stock and Implements on Thursday, March 13th, on lot 9, con. 12, Huntingdon tp. 3 miles south of Madoc, at 12.30 W. J. Wright, Owner, E.C. Tufts, Auct.

Oakdale Rebekah Lodge, No. 134, Madoc held a successful euchre party on Thursday evening, February 21st, in the I.O.O.F. hall. About forty people were present and a very enjoyable evening enjoyed by all.

This advertisement appeared in a Midland newspaper the other day: "Wanted, a steady, respectable young man to look after a garden and milk a cow who has a good voice and is accustomed to sing in the choir."

—Be sure and reserve March 4th, for play "Martha made over" presented under the auspices of Rebekah Lodge—at Masonic Hall, Madoc. Prices 35c and 25c. Plan at Maybee's store. 8-2

To make certain that the horse no longer shall suffer from ill-fitting shoes the "horse-shoers' act" will be considered at the present session of the Ontario legislature. It is described as an "act to provide for the licensing of horseshoers and for the proper examination of those to whom certificates shall be granted."

PLAY

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Friday, March 7th at 8 o'clock.

LINDSAY E. PERRIN
Comedian with Arlie Marks

ARLIE MARKS COMING

Amusement lovers of Madoc and vicinity will be pleased to learn that The Arlie Marks Players will open a two nights engagement at the Empire Theatre, on Friday, February 29th. This popular organization headed by Canada's own comedienne Arlie Marks needs no introduction to the playgoers of Madoc. Manager Perrin has surrounded his popular star with the best supporting company she has ever carried, and six big vaudeville numbers will be given between the acts, so there will be no dull moment. The opening play, "My Rosie O'Grady" is a comedy of Irish life and better than "Peg O' My Heart" As Rosie O'Grady, Miss Marks has a part that fits her like the proverbial glove, allowing her ample scope for her versatility. We predict a big business for this popular company.

SLEIGHING PARTY

On Monday evening last the young ladies of Mrs. Geo. Huffman's Sunday School class joined with the young men's Bible Class in a sleighing party. At 7.45 p.m. the company gathered at the church and soon the sleighs were filled to their capacity, and for an hour the town resounded with their happy laughter and merry song. At 9 p.m. all gathered in the Sunday School room, where games were enjoyed, after which a dainty lunch was served by the young ladies' class. During the evening the Sunday School Orchestra delighted everybody with their excellent music. The evening closed with a sing-song, when forty-two of the young people took part.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Amos Morgan, who departed this life January 26, 1923.

No one knows the silent heartache,
Only those who lost can tell
Of the grief that is borne in silence
For the one we loved so well.

Quietly and quickly comes the call.
This sudden death surprised us all.
Dearer in memory than words can tell
Are the thoughts of our dear one
we loved so well.

Sadly missed by Wife and Family.

Private Sale

The following household furniture will be sold by private sale, at the home of Mrs. John McCoy, on St. Lawrence, str. Parlor suite in Mahogany finish, Three piece living room suite, in walnut, a settee in walnut, couch, in golden oak, bed couch, piano lamp, bedsteads springs and mattresses, kitchen cabinet, book shelves, tables, chairs, refrigerator, coal oil stove, coal oil heater, rugs.

Born

McKINNON—On Monday, February 18th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. George McKinnon, a son, (still-born).

NOTICE

Electric Light rates for January and February now due. and if not paid before March 1st 10 p. c. will be added, also a number are over 3 months in arrears. If these are not paid this month services will be discontinued.

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30c dark and light roller Toweling — very special for one week 2 yds for 25c
White linen Toweling — very special 6 yds for $1
42 in. pure wool Serge — red, blue and black, this week 2 yds for only $1.50
Ladies' Flanelette Nightgowns — reg $1.95, sale each 98c
Children's Drawers, nearly every size — reg 75c sale each 25c
Ladies' Gingham Dresses, reg up to $4 — get these, very special, each $1.95
Ladies' Turnbull Underwear — a snap, suit $1.75
Gents' pure wool Underwear — reg $1.75 garment, this week suit $2.50

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GUELPH CITY STIRRED BY LEGLESS BEGGAR WHO LOST HIS "LIMB"

Guelph, Feb. 11 — An appeal to the sympathies of men and women always appears to get to personal advantage of some acquiring a living in unusual ways. Last week there arrived in Guelph a man who "sported" a wooden peg leg which is a common sight nowadays.

This man was otherwise husky enough physically but also wore so down and out a look as he peddled needles and such small wares from door to door, easily making sales because of his appearance.

However, at the week end, having finished with this city, a man tallying with the description of the peddler walked briskly into the Canadian National station, threw a grip on the floor and another parcel loosely wrapped.

An employee in straightening up the place picked up the parcel and was surprised to find it the identical peg leg worn by the peddler previously.

How the miracle of securing a perfectly good leg was effected in the place of the wooden stump is left to conjecture.

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65 LABORITES IN GOVERNMENT JOBS

London, Feb. 25.—Three minor appointments announced to-night practically complete Ramsay MacDonald's Ministry with the result that one in every three of the Labor members finds himself with some kind of Government job. Including the Palace officials there are now 65 Ministers, of whom four are in the House of Lords and 16 have seats in the House of Commons. Another 15 Government Members have official standing as unpaid Parliamentary Secretaries to the regular Ministers, and may thus consider themselves on the high road to promotion.

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1923 IMMIGRATION DOUBLE 1922 TOTAL

Ottawa, Feb. 22 — An increase of 105 per cent. in the immigration to Canada is reported during the ten months ending January, 1924, as compared to the corresponding ten months ending January, 1923.

During the past ten months, 129,022 immigrants of all nationalities have entered the country as immigrants. Of the immigrants coming to this country during the past ten months, 65,171 were British; 18,120 were Americans and 63,723 were from other countries.

WOMAN SAT DOWN IN CROWDED TANK TO DROWN HERSELF

Quebec, Feb. 23 — A seventeen year-old boy named Corneloup walked into the police station this morning, with tears in his eyes and a letter in his hands.

The letter spoke for itself. It was from his mother, Mrs. Claudius Corneloup, 45.

A free translation may be given as follows:

"I am going away. Don't look for me but go back to your grandmother in France. Pray for me. Take money out of the bank and go back."

Search of the boy's home resulted in the finding of the woman's dead body in a cistern in the garret. There was only 24 inches of water in the tank and the tank itself was only 32 inches long, so that the unfortunate woman sat down sideways and then lowered her head under the water.

HOT DOG CLUB, BAREFOOT RUNNING IN THE SNOW

New York, N. Y., Feb. 26—Seventeen men and five women were recently seen in Cortlandt Park running barefoot in the snow. All were over fifty. It was the "Hot Dog Club"—"an organization devoted to health maintenance in persons beyond the middle age." They are also called "snow birds." Long hikes were tried first but there was no warming-up to the work until the trainer in charge made them run in the snow, when there is any, for a mile. He follows with a sled-load of shoes, stockings and Turkish towels.

NOTHING TOO GOOD TO SAY ABOUT CANADIANS

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THREE BELLEVILLE RAILWAY MEN KILLED

Three men are dead and one seriously injured, the result of a pitch-in of passenger train No. 20 into an engine, caboose and five cars standing on the east-bound track at Mallorytown early today.

The dead are:- Neil A. Woodcock, married, A. Scotty Ritchie, married, William D. Kerrigan, married, and the injured man, Albert J. Boyes, married, all of this city.

Engineer Woodcock and his fireman, Kerrigan, had their train in the hole at Mallorytown and were helping train No. 490 to get a disabled car out of the train length. They went down the east-bound track and picked up the caboose and five freight cars and brought them back to the station. Passenger train No. 20, composed of mail cars, express cars, one day coach and standard sleepers came tearing through the very heavy fog which fell like a blanket over the scene, not knowing the line was blocked. Train No. 20, pulled by Engineer Boyes and Fireman Ritchie, pitched in at full speed, with the results aforementioned.

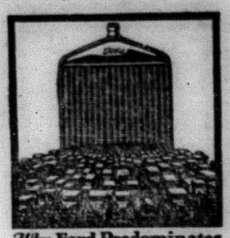
The auxiliaries from Brockville and Belleville were both hurried to the scene of the wreck along with an auxiliary train of nurses, doctors and supplies. Woodcock and Ritchie were killed outright, while Boyes and Kerrigan were rushed to the General Hospital in Brockville where Kehrigan has since died. Boyes is not expected to live.

Fire broke out in the baggage car of the passenger train and all second class mail was burned.

Both lines are blocked, but officials of the railway stated to the press that the westbound track would be clear about noon.

Dr. Fred Jackson will hold the inquest at Mallorytown.

Correct this sentence: "Early hinting means nothing this time," said Dad. "We are too hard-up to have any Santa Claus this year."



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